

COMPLEX ANALYSIS EXERCISES WITH SOLUTIONS

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Preface

This text contains the solutions to all of the practice problems in the 10th chapter of the lecture notes “An Introduction to Complex Analysis” [1]. It is a translation of the Czech text [3].

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We enjoyed working on this text. We wish the same to the reader.

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EXERCISE 1.

Find the real and imaginary part of the complex number

a) $z = (1 + i)(3 - 2i)$;

c) $z = \frac{1+i}{1-i}$;

b) $z = \frac{2-3i}{3+4i}$;

d) $z = 2i - \frac{2-4i}{2}$.

Solution:

a) $z = (3 + 2) + i$; $\text{Re } z = 5, \text{Im } z = 1$.

b) $z = \frac{2-3i}{3+4i} = \frac{(2-3i)(3-4i)}{9+16} = \frac{6-12-9i-8i}{25}$; $\text{Re } z = -\frac{6}{25}, \text{Im } z = -\frac{17}{25}$.

c) $z = \frac{1+i}{1-i} = \frac{(1+i)^2}{2} = \frac{1+2i-1}{2}$; $\text{Re } z = 0, \text{Im } z = 1$.

d) $z = 2i - \frac{2-4i}{2} = 2i - \frac{2+4i}{2} = -1$; $\text{Re } z = -1, \text{Im } z = 0$.

EXERCISE 2.

Write the given complex number in the trigonometric form

a) $z = -1 + \sqrt{3}i$;

d) $z = -1 - \sqrt{3}i$;

b) $z = i$;

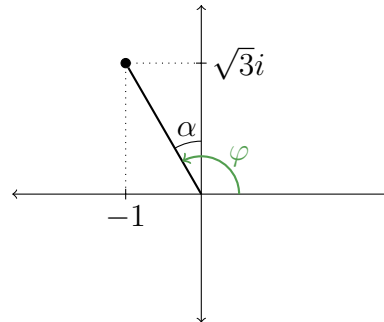
e) $z = \frac{2+i}{3-2i}$;

c) $z = -8$;

f) $z = \frac{3-i}{2+i}$.

Solution:

a)



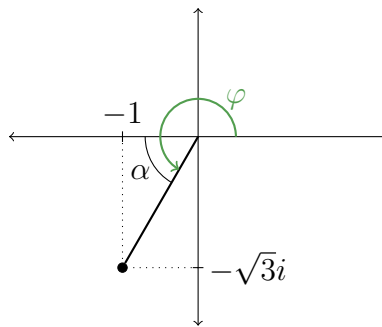
$$\cos \alpha = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \alpha = \frac{\pi}{6}, \varphi = \frac{\pi}{2} + \alpha = \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{2}{3}\pi;$$

$$\underline{z} = -1 + \sqrt{3}i = \sqrt{1+3} \left(\cos \frac{2\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{2\pi}{3} \right) = \underline{2 \left(\cos \frac{2\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{2\pi}{3} \right)}.$$

b) $\underline{z} = i = \underline{\cos \frac{\pi}{2} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{2}}$.

c) $\underline{z} = -8 = \underline{8(\cos \pi + i \sin \pi)}$.

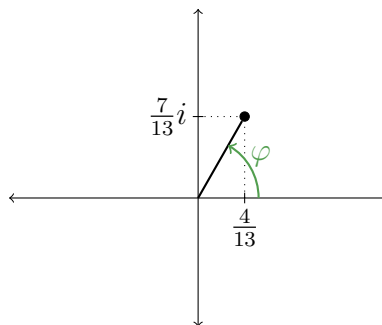
d)



$$\sin \alpha = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \quad \alpha = \frac{\pi}{3}, \quad \varphi = \pi + \alpha = \frac{4}{3}\pi;$$

$$\underline{z \equiv -1 - \sqrt{3}i = 2 \left(\cos \frac{4}{3}\pi + i \sin \frac{4}{3}\pi \right) = 2 \left(\cos \left(-\frac{2\pi}{3} \right) + i \sin \left(-\frac{2\pi}{3} \right) \right)}.$$

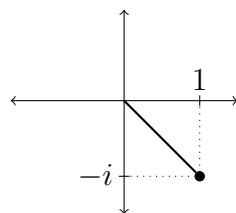
e) $z = \frac{2+i}{3-2i} = \frac{(2+i)(3+2i)}{9+4} = \frac{4}{13} + \frac{7}{13}i,$



$$|z| = \frac{1}{13}\sqrt{16+49} = \frac{\sqrt{65}}{13}, \quad \tan \varphi = \frac{7/13}{4/13} = \frac{7}{4}, \quad \varphi = \arctan \frac{7}{4};$$

$$\underline{z = \frac{\sqrt{65}}{13} \left(\cos \left(\arctan \frac{7}{4} \right) + i \sin \left(\arctan \frac{7}{4} \right) \right)}.$$

f) $z = \frac{3-i}{2+i} = \frac{(3-i)(2-i)}{5} = \frac{5-5i}{5} = 1 - i,$



$$\underline{z = \sqrt{2} \left(\cos \left(-\frac{\pi}{4} \right) + i \sin \left(-\frac{\pi}{4} \right) \right)}.$$

EXERCISE 3.

Prove the *de Moivre's theorem*

$$(\forall n \in \mathbb{N}) (\forall \varphi \in \mathbb{R}) : (\cos \varphi + i \sin \varphi)^n = \cos(n\varphi) + i \sin(n\varphi)$$

using mathematical induction.

Solution:

1) We start by checking that the formula holds for $n = 1$:

$$(\cos \varphi + i \sin \varphi)^1 = \cos(1 \cdot \varphi) + i \sin(1 \cdot \varphi).$$

2) Now we prove the implication $(\cos \varphi + i \sin \varphi)^n = \cos(n\varphi) + i \sin(n\varphi) \stackrel{?}{\Rightarrow} \stackrel{?}{\Rightarrow} (\cos \varphi + i \sin \varphi)^{n+1} = \cos((n+1)\varphi) + i \sin((n+1)\varphi)$:

$$\begin{aligned} (\cos \varphi + i \sin \varphi)^{n+1} &\stackrel{\text{i.p.}}{=} (\cos(n\varphi) + i \sin(n\varphi)) (\cos \varphi + i \sin \varphi) = \\ &= (\cos(n\varphi) \cos \varphi - \sin(n\varphi) \sin \varphi) + i (\sin(n\varphi) \cos \varphi + \cos(n\varphi) \sin \varphi), \end{aligned}$$

and now it suffices to apply the known “trigonometric identities”:

$$\begin{aligned} \cos(n\varphi) \cos \varphi - \sin(n\varphi) \sin \varphi &= \cos(n\varphi + \varphi) = \cos((n+1)\varphi), \\ \sin(n\varphi) \cos \varphi + \cos(n\varphi) \sin \varphi &= \sin(n\varphi + \varphi) = \sin((n+1)\varphi). \end{aligned}$$

EXERCISE 4.

Let $\varphi \in \mathbb{R}$. Express $\sin(4\varphi)$ and $\cos(4\varphi)$ using $\sin \varphi$ and $\cos \varphi$.

Solution:

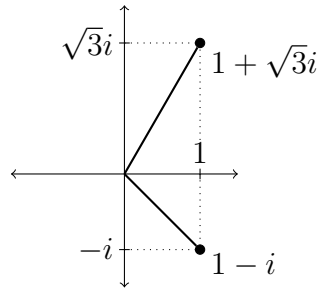
$$\begin{aligned} \cos(4\varphi) + i \sin(4\varphi) &= (\cos \varphi + i \sin \varphi)^4 = \\ &= (\cos^2 \varphi + 2i \sin \varphi \cos \varphi - \sin^2 \varphi)^2 = \\ &= \cos^4 \varphi - 4 \sin^2 \varphi \cos^2 \varphi + \sin^4 \varphi + \\ &\quad + 4i \sin \varphi \cos^3 \varphi - 2 \cos^2 \varphi \sin^2 \varphi - 4i \sin^3 \varphi \cos \varphi = \\ &= \cos^4 \varphi - 6 \sin^2 \varphi \cos^2 \varphi + \sin^4 \varphi + i (4 \sin \varphi \cos^3 \varphi - 4 \sin^3 \varphi \cos \varphi), \end{aligned}$$

and therefore (it is enough to compare the real and imaginary parts)

$$\begin{aligned} \cos(4\varphi) &= \cos^4 \varphi - 6 \sin^2 \varphi \cos^2 \varphi + \sin^4 \varphi, \\ \sin(4\varphi) &= 4 \sin \varphi \cos^3 \varphi - 4 \sin^3 \varphi \cos \varphi. \end{aligned}$$

EXERCISE 5.

Find $\operatorname{Re} z$ and $\operatorname{Im} z$ for $z = \left(\frac{1-i}{1+\sqrt{3}i}\right)^{24}$.

Solution:

$$\frac{1-i}{1+\sqrt{3}i} = \frac{\sqrt{2} \left(\cos\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}\right) + i \sin\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}\right) \right)}{2 \left(\cos\frac{\pi}{3} + i \sin\frac{\pi}{3} \right)} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\cos\left(-\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\pi}{3}\right) + i \sin\left(-\frac{7}{12}\pi\right) \right),$$

$$z = \frac{1}{2^{12}} \left(\cos\left(-\frac{24 \cdot 7\pi}{12}\right) + i \sin\left(-\frac{24 \cdot 7\pi}{12}\right) \right) = \frac{1}{2^{12}};$$

$$\underline{\operatorname{Re} z = \frac{1}{2^{12}}, \operatorname{Im} z = 0.}$$

EXERCISE 6.

Find $\operatorname{Arg} z$ and $\arg z$ for

a) $z = (\sqrt{3} + i)^{126}$;

b) $z = (1 + i)^{137}$;

c) $z = -1 - 5i$.

Solution:

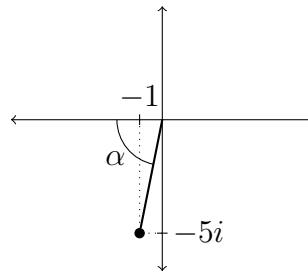
a) $z = (\sqrt{3} + i)^{126} = \left(2 \left(\cos\frac{\pi}{6} + i \sin\frac{\pi}{6}\right)\right)^{126} = 2^{126} \left(\cos(21\pi) + i \sin(21\pi)\right) = -2^{126}$;

$$\underline{\operatorname{Arg} z = \{\pi + 2k\pi : k \in \mathbb{Z}\}, \arg z = \pi.}$$

b) $z = 2^{\frac{137}{2}} \left(\cos\left(137\frac{\pi}{4}\right) + i \sin\left(137\frac{\pi}{4}\right)\right) = 2^{\frac{137}{2}} \left(\cos\frac{\pi}{4} + i \sin\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$;

$$\underline{\operatorname{Arg} z = \left\{\frac{\pi}{4} + 2k\pi : k \in \mathbb{Z}\right\}, \arg z = \frac{\pi}{4}.}$$

c)



$$\tan \alpha = \frac{5}{1}, \quad \alpha = \arctan 5;$$

$$\underline{\text{Arg } z = \{-\pi + \arctan 5 + 2k\pi : k \in \mathbb{Z}\}, \quad \arg z = -\pi + \arctan 5.}$$

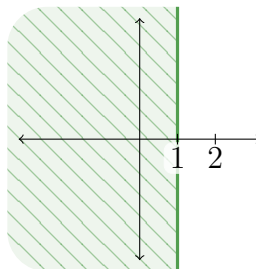
EXERCISE 7.

Draw in the complex plane the set

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|---|---|
| a) $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \text{Re } z \leq 1\};$ | g) $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \left \frac{z-2}{z-3} \right = 1\};$ |
| b) $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \text{Re}(z^2) = 2\};$ | h) $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : 1+z < 1-z \};$ |
| c) $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \text{Im } \frac{1}{z} = \frac{1}{4}\};$ | i) $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : z+1 = 2 z-1 \};$ |
| d) $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \text{Im } z < 1\};$ | j) $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : 2 < z+2-3i < 4\};$ |
| e) $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : z = \text{Re } z + 1\};$ | k) $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \frac{\pi}{4} \leq \arg(z+2i) \leq \frac{\pi}{2}\};$ |
| f) $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : z-2 = 1-2\bar{z} \};$ | l) $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : z + \text{Re } z \leq 1 \wedge$
$\quad \wedge -\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \arg z \leq \frac{\pi}{4}\}.$ |

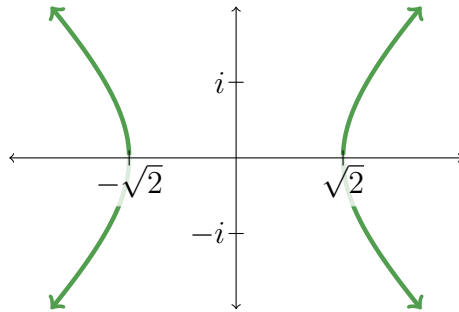
Solution:

- a) $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \text{Re } z \leq 1\};$



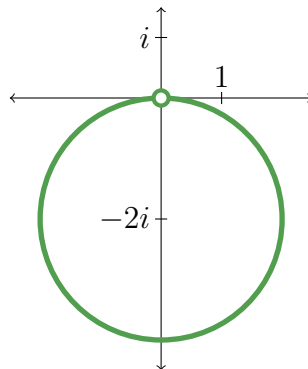
b)

$$\begin{aligned} \{z \in \mathbb{C}: \operatorname{Re}(z^2) = 2\} &= \{x + iy: \operatorname{Re}(x^2 + 2ixy - y^2) = 2\} = \\ &= \{x + iy: x^2 - y^2 = 2\}: \end{aligned}$$

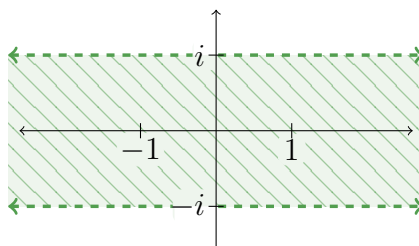


c)

$$\begin{aligned} \left\{z \in \mathbb{C}: \operatorname{Im} \frac{1}{z} = \frac{1}{4}\right\} &= \left\{x + iy \in \mathbb{C}: \operatorname{Im} \frac{1}{x + iy} = \frac{1}{4}\right\} = \\ &= \left\{x + iy \in \mathbb{C}: \operatorname{Im} \frac{x - iy}{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{1}{4}\right\} = \\ &= \left\{x + iy \in \mathbb{C}: -\frac{y}{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{1}{4}\right\} = \\ &= \{x + iy \in \mathbb{C}: x^2 + y^2 = -4y \wedge x^2 + y^2 \neq 0\} = \\ &= \{x + iy \in \mathbb{C}: x^2 + (y + 2)^2 = 4\} \setminus \{0 + 0i\}: \end{aligned}$$

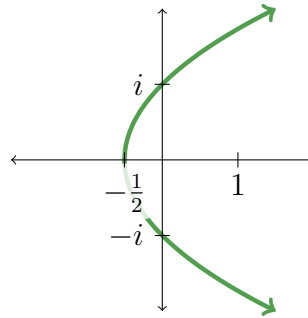


d) $\{z \in \mathbb{C}: |\operatorname{Im} z| < 1\}$:



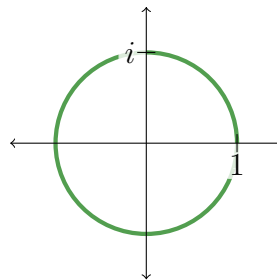
e)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \{z \in \mathbb{C}: |z| = \operatorname{Re} z + 1\} &= \left\{x + iy: \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = x + 1\right\} = \\
 &= \left\{x + iy: x^2 + y^2 = x^2 + 2x + 1\right\} = \\
 &= \left\{x + iy: y^2 = 2x + 1\right\} = \\
 &= \left\{x + iy: x = \frac{y^2 - 1}{2}\right\}:
 \end{aligned}$$

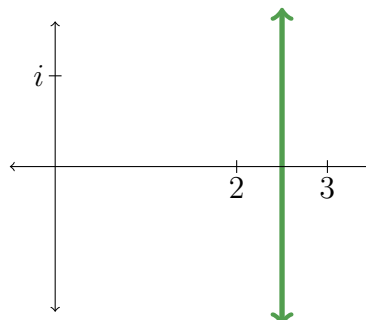


f)

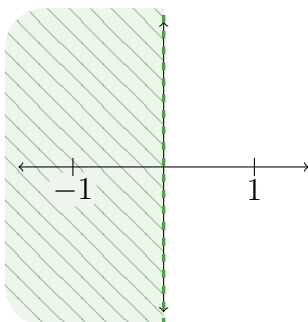
$$\begin{aligned}
 \{z \in \mathbb{C}: |z - 2| = |1 - 2\bar{z}|\} &= \\
 &= \left\{x + iy \in \mathbb{C}: \sqrt{(x - 2)^2 + y^2} = |1 - 2(x - iy)|\right\} = \\
 &= \left\{x + iy: (x - 2)^2 + y^2 = (1 - 2x)^2 + 4y^2\right\} = \\
 &= \left\{x + iy: x^2 - 4x + 4 + y^2 = 1 - 4x + 4x^2 + 4y^2\right\} = \\
 &= \left\{x + iy: 3x^2 + 3y^2 = 3\right\} = \\
 &= \left\{x + iy: x^2 + y^2 = 1\right\}:
 \end{aligned}$$



g) $\left\{z \in \mathbb{C}: \left|\frac{z-2}{z-3}\right| = 1\right\} = \{z \in \mathbb{C}: |z - 2| = |z - 3|\}$:

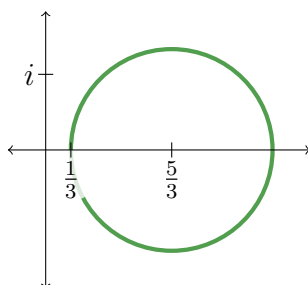


h) $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : |1 + z| < |1 - z|\} = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z - (-1)| < |z - 1|\}$:

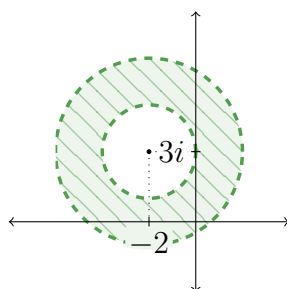


i)

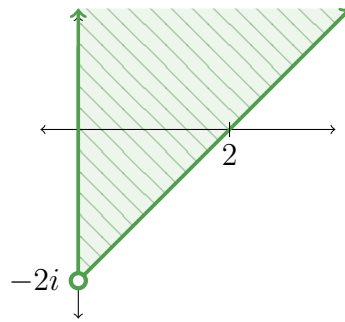
$$\begin{aligned} \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z + 1| = 2|z - 1|\} &= \\ &= \{x + iy \in \mathbb{C} : (x + 1)^2 + y^2 = 4((x - 1)^2 + y^2)\} = \\ &= \{x + iy : x^2 + 2x + 1 + y^2 = 4x^2 - 8x + 4 + 4y^2\} = \\ &= \{x + iy : 3x^2 + 3y^2 - 10x = -3\} = \\ &= \left\{ x + iy : \left(x - \frac{5}{3}\right)^2 + y^2 = \frac{16}{9} \right\} : \end{aligned}$$



j) $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : 2 < |z + 2 - 3i| < 4\} = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : 2 < |z - (-2 + 3i)| < 4\}$:

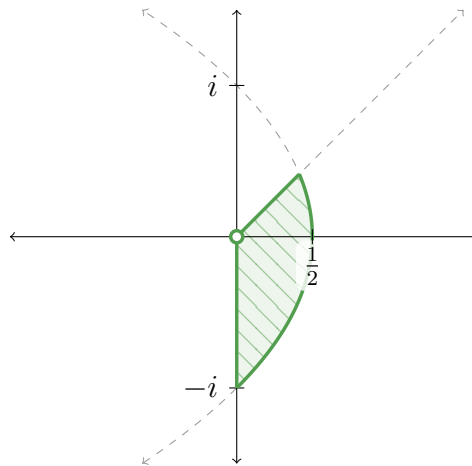


k) $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \frac{\pi}{4} \leq \arg(z + 2i) \leq \frac{\pi}{2}\}$:



l)

$$\begin{aligned} & \left\{ z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| + \operatorname{Re} z \leq 1 \wedge -\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \arg z \leq \frac{\pi}{4} \right\} = \\ & = \left\{ x + iy \in \mathbb{C} : \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \leq 1 - x \wedge -\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \arg(x + iy) \leq \frac{\pi}{4} \right\} = \\ & = \left\{ x + iy \in \mathbb{C} : x^2 + y^2 \leq (1 - x)^2 \wedge 1 - x \geq 0 \wedge \right. \\ & \quad \left. \wedge -\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \arg(x + iy) \leq \frac{\pi}{4} \right\} = \\ & = \left\{ x + iy \in \mathbb{C} : y^2 \leq 1 - 2x \wedge -\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \arg(x + iy) \leq \frac{\pi}{4} \right\} : \end{aligned}$$



EXERCISE 8.

Let $z_1, z_2 \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$. Prove the following implications:

a) $\left. \begin{array}{l} \varphi_1 \in \operatorname{Arg} z_1 \\ \varphi_2 \in \operatorname{Arg} z_2 \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \varphi_1 + \varphi_2 \in \operatorname{Arg} (z_1 z_2);$

b) $\left. \begin{array}{l} \varphi_1 \in \operatorname{Arg} z_1 \\ \varphi_2 \in \operatorname{Arg} z_2 \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \varphi_1 - \varphi_2 \in \operatorname{Arg} \left(\frac{z_1}{z_2} \right).$

Solution:

a)
$$\begin{aligned} z_1 \cdot z_2 &= |z_1| \cdot |z_2| \cdot (\cos \varphi_1 + i \sin \varphi_1) \cdot (\cos \varphi_2 + i \sin \varphi_2) = \\ &= |z_1| \cdot |z_2| \cdot (\cos(\varphi_1 + \varphi_2) + i \sin(\varphi_1 + \varphi_2)). \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{b) } \frac{z_1}{z_2} &= \frac{|z_1|}{|z_2|} \cdot \frac{\cos \varphi_1 + i \sin \varphi_1}{\cos \varphi_2 + i \sin \varphi_2} = \left| \frac{z_1}{z_2} \right| (\cos \varphi_1 + i \sin \varphi_1) \cdot (\cos \varphi_2 - i \sin \varphi_2) = \\
 &= \left| \frac{z_1}{z_2} \right| \cdot (\cos(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2) + i \sin(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)).
 \end{aligned}$$

EXERCISE 9.

Decide if the given limit exists, and if it does, compute it

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 \text{a) } \lim(3 - 4i)^n; & \text{c) } \lim \left(\frac{1+i}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^n; \\
 \text{b) } \lim \left((-1)^n + \frac{i}{n} \right); & \text{d) } \lim \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{3}i}{2} \right)^{6n}.
 \end{array}$$

Solution:

a) $\lim(3 - 4i)^n = \infty$, because $|(3 - 4i)^n| = (\sqrt{9 + 16})^n = 5^n \rightarrow \infty$.

b) $\lim \underbrace{\left((-1)^n + \frac{i}{n} \right)}_{=:z_n}$ does not exist, because

$$z_{2n} = (-1)^{2n} + \frac{i}{2n} = 1 + \frac{i}{2n} \rightarrow 1$$

and at the same time

$$z_{2n+1} = (-1)^{2n+1} + \frac{i}{2n+1} = -1 + \frac{i}{2n+1} \rightarrow -1.$$

c) $\lim \underbrace{\left(\frac{1+i}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^n}_{=:z_n}$ does not exist, because

$$z_n = \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \right)^n = \cos \left(n \frac{\pi}{4} \right) + i \sin \left(n \frac{\pi}{4} \right),$$

and so

$$z_{8n} \rightarrow 1 \wedge z_{8n+2} \rightarrow i.$$

d) $\lim \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{3}i}{2} \right)^{6n} = 1$, because

$$\begin{aligned}
 \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{3}i}{2} \right)^{6n} &= \left(\cos \left(-\frac{\pi}{3} \right) + i \sin \left(-\frac{\pi}{3} \right) \right)^{6n} = \\
 &= \cos(-2\pi n) + i \sin(-2\pi n) \rightarrow 1.
 \end{aligned}$$

EXERCISE 10.

Let (z_n) be a sequence of complex numbers, $r \in \mathbb{R}^+$ and $\varphi \in \mathbb{R}$. Proof the following propositions:

a) $z_n \rightarrow 0 \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{z_n} \rightarrow \infty$;

b) $\left. \begin{array}{l} |z_n| \rightarrow r \\ \arg z_n \rightarrow \varphi \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow z_n \rightarrow r(\cos \varphi + i \sin \varphi)$;

and show that the implication in the proposition b) cannot be reversed.

Solution:

a) It is enough to rewrite both sides of the equivalence using the definition of the limit.

- Left side:

$$\begin{aligned} z_n &\rightarrow 0 \\ &\Downarrow \\ (\forall \varepsilon > 0) (\exists n_0 \in \mathbb{N}) (\forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n > n_0) &: z_n \in U(0, \varepsilon) \\ &\Downarrow \\ (\forall \varepsilon > 0) (\exists n_0 \in \mathbb{N}) (\forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n > n_0) &: \underline{|z_n| < \varepsilon}; \end{aligned}$$

- Right side:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{z_n} &\rightarrow \infty \\ &\Downarrow \\ (\forall \varepsilon > 0) (\exists n_0 \in \mathbb{N}) (\forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n > n_0) &: \frac{1}{z_n} \in U(\infty, \varepsilon) \\ &\Downarrow \\ (\forall \varepsilon > 0) (\exists n_0 \in \mathbb{N}) (\forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n > n_0) &: \left(\left| \frac{1}{z_n} \right| > \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \vee \frac{1}{z_n} = \infty \right) \\ &\Downarrow \\ (\forall \varepsilon > 0) (\exists n_0 \in \mathbb{N}) (\forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n > n_0) &: (\varepsilon > |z_n| \vee z_n = 0) \\ &\Downarrow \\ (\forall \varepsilon > 0) (\exists n_0 \in \mathbb{N}) (\forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n > n_0) &: \underline{|z_n| < \varepsilon}. \end{aligned}$$

b) From the assumptions it follows that for all sufficiently large n we have that

$$z_n = |z_n| (\cos(\arg z_n) + i \sin(\arg z_n)),$$

and the claim follows directly from the continuity of cosine and sine and the theorem of the limit of a product.

As a counterexample disproving the reverse inequality, we can use the sequence

$$z_n := \cos\left(\pi + \frac{(-1)^n}{n}\right) + i \sin\left(\pi + \frac{(-1)^n}{n}\right)$$

and the choice

$$r = 1, \varphi = \pi.$$

EXERCISE 11.

Find all $z \in \mathbb{C}$ such that

- | | | |
|---------------------|---|-----------------------|
| a) $z^3 = 1;$ | d) $\left(\frac{z-1}{z+1}\right)^2 = 2i;$ | g) $z^5 = 1;$ |
| b) $z^2 = i;$ | e) $z^4 = -1;$ | h) $z^2 = -11 + 60i;$ |
| c) $z^2 = 24i - 7;$ | f) $z^3 = i - 1;$ | i) $z^2 = 3 + 4i.$ |

Solution:

a) $z = |z| (\cos \varphi + i \sin \varphi), 1 = \cos 0 + i \sin 0.$

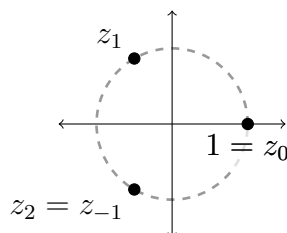
$$\begin{aligned} z^3 &= |z|^3 (\cos(3\varphi) + i \sin(3\varphi)) = 1 (\cos 0 + i \sin 0) \\ &\iff \\ &(|z|^3 = 1) \wedge (\exists k \in \mathbb{Z}: 3\varphi = 0 + 2k\pi) \\ &\iff \\ &(|z| = 1) \wedge (\exists k \in \mathbb{Z}: \varphi = k\frac{2\pi}{3}), \end{aligned}$$

and therefore

$$z = z_k = \cos\left(k\frac{2\pi}{3}\right) + i \sin\left(k\frac{2\pi}{3}\right) = \begin{cases} 1, & k \in \{3l: l \in \mathbb{Z}\}, \\ -\frac{1}{2} + i\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, & k \in \{3l+1: l \in \mathbb{Z}\}, \\ -\frac{1}{2} - i\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, & k \in \{3l+2: l \in \mathbb{Z}\}, \end{cases}$$

so

$$z^3 = 1 \iff z \in \left\{ 1, -\frac{1}{2} + i\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, -\frac{1}{2} - i\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right\}.$$



b) $z = |z|(\cos \varphi + i \sin \varphi)$, $i = \cos \frac{\pi}{2} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{2}$,

$$z^2 = |z|^2 (\cos (2\varphi) + i \sin (2\varphi)) = \cos \frac{\pi}{2} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{2}$$

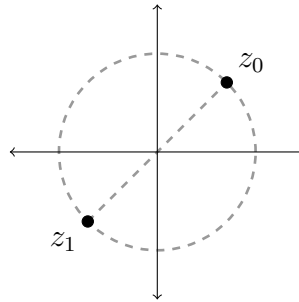
$$\Downarrow$$

$$(|z|^2 = 1) \wedge (\exists k \in \mathbb{Z}: 2\varphi = \frac{\pi}{2} + 2k\pi),$$

and therefore

$$z = z_k = \cos \left(\frac{\pi}{4} + k\pi \right) + i \sin \left(\frac{\pi}{4} + k\pi \right) =$$

$$= \begin{cases} \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + i\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, & k \in \{2l : l \in \mathbb{Z}\}, \\ -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} - i\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, & k \in \{2l + 1 : l \in \mathbb{Z}\}. \end{cases}$$



$$z^2 = i \Leftrightarrow z \in \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + i\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} - i\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right\}.$$

c) Let $z = x + iy$. Then

$$z^2 = x^2 + 2ixy - y^2 = 24i - 7 \Leftrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} x^2 - y^2 = -7 \\ 2xy = 24 \end{pmatrix} \Leftrightarrow$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} x^2 - y^2 = -7 \\ y = \frac{12}{x} \end{pmatrix} \Leftrightarrow$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} x^2 - \frac{144}{x^2} = -7 \\ y = \frac{12}{x} \end{pmatrix} \Leftrightarrow$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} x^4 + 7x^2 - 144 = 0 \\ y = \frac{12}{x} \end{pmatrix},$$

which holds if and only if $z = x + iy = 3 + 4i$ or $z = -3 - 4i$.

d) After the change of variables $\frac{z-1}{z+1} =: u = |u|(\cos \varphi + i \sin \varphi)$ we firstly solve the equation $u^2 = 2i$, that is

$$|u|^2 (\cos(2\varphi) + i \sin(2\varphi)) = 2 \left(\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) \right).$$

The solution is

$$u = \pm\sqrt{2} \left(\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) \right) = \pm(1+i),$$

and then easily $\frac{z-1}{z+1} = 1+i$ if and only if ($z = x+iy$)

$$\begin{aligned} x+iy-1 &= (1+i)(x+iy+1), \text{ that is} \\ (x-1)+iy &= (x-y+1)+i(x+y+1), \text{ and therefore} \\ (x-1=x-y+1) \wedge (y=x+y+1), &\text{ that is} \\ y=2 \wedge x &= -1, \end{aligned}$$

and similarly $\frac{z-1}{z+1} = -1-i$ if and only if

$$\begin{aligned} x+iy-1 &= -(1+i)(x+iy+1), \\ (x-1=-x+y-1) \wedge (2y &= -x-1), \text{ and therefore} \\ y = -\frac{2}{5} \wedge x &= -\frac{1}{5}. \end{aligned}$$

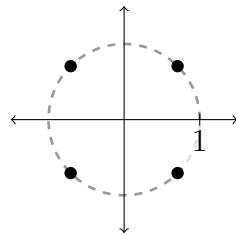
Summary:

$$\underline{\left(\frac{z-1}{z+1} \right)^2 = 2i \Leftrightarrow \left(z = -1+2i \vee z = -\frac{1}{5} - \frac{2}{5}i \right)}.$$

e) $|z|^4 (\cos(4\varphi) + i \sin(4\varphi)) = \cos \pi + i \sin \pi$ if and only if

$$z = z_k = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + k\frac{\pi}{2}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + k\frac{\pi}{2}\right), \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}, \text{ that is}$$

$$\underline{z^4 = -1 \Leftrightarrow z \in \left\{ \frac{1+i}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-1+i}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-1-i}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1-i}{\sqrt{2}} \right\}}.$$



f) $|z|^3 (\cos(3\varphi) + i \sin(3\varphi)) = \sqrt{2} \left(\cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{4}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{3\pi}{4}\right) \right)$

if and only if

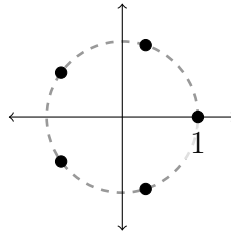
$$\left(|z| = \sqrt[3]{\sqrt{2}} \right) \wedge \left(3\varphi = \frac{3\pi}{4} + 2k\pi, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z} \right).$$

From this, it easily follows that $z^3 = i-1$ if and only if

$$\underline{z \in \left\{ \sqrt[6]{2} \left(\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{2k\pi}{3}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{2k\pi}{3}\right) \right) : k \in \{0, 1, 2\} \right\}}.$$

g)

$$z = \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{5}k\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{5}k\right), \quad k \in \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4\}.$$



h)

$$z^2 = (x + iy)^2 = -11 + 60i$$

$$\Downarrow$$

$$x^2 + 2ixy - y^2 = 11 + 60i$$

$$\Downarrow$$

$$x^2 - y^2 = -11 \quad \wedge \quad 2xy = 60$$

$$\Downarrow$$

$$x^2 - \frac{900}{x^2} = -11 \quad \wedge \quad y = \frac{30}{x}$$

$$\Downarrow$$

$$y = \frac{30}{x} \wedge x^2 = \frac{-11 \pm \sqrt{121 + 3600}}{2} = \begin{cases} \frac{-11 - \sqrt{3721}}{2} & \dots \text{ not possible,} \\ \frac{-11 + \sqrt{3721}}{2} = \frac{-11 + 61}{2} = 25, \end{cases}$$

and therefore

$$z^2 = -11 + 60i \Leftrightarrow \underline{z = \pm(5 + 6i)}.$$

i) Let $z = x + iy$. Then

$$z^2 = (x + iy)^2 = 3 + 4i$$

$$\Downarrow$$

$$x^2 - y^2 = 3 \quad \wedge \quad 2xy = 4$$

$$\Downarrow$$

$$x^2 - \frac{4}{x^2} = 3 \quad \wedge \quad y = \frac{2}{x}$$

$$\Downarrow$$

$$y = \frac{2}{x} \wedge x^2 = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{9 + 16}}{2} = \begin{cases} \frac{3-5}{2} & \dots \text{ not possible,} \\ 4, \end{cases}$$

and therefore

$$z^2 = 3 + 4i \Leftrightarrow \underline{z = \pm(2 + i)}.$$

EXERCISE 12.

Find and draw the set $M = \{\frac{1}{z} : z \in \Omega\}$, if

a) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \arg z = \alpha\}, \alpha \in (-\pi, \pi);$

b) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z - 1| = 1\};$

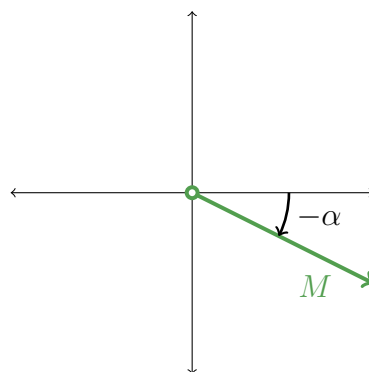
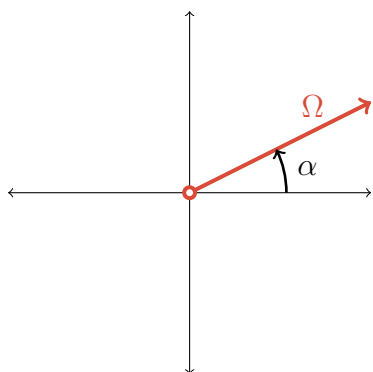
c) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z = \operatorname{Im} z\};$

d) $\Omega = \{x + iy \in \mathbb{C} : x = 1\};$

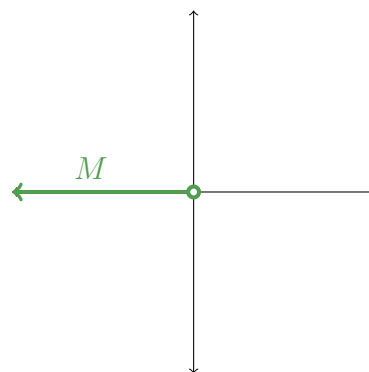
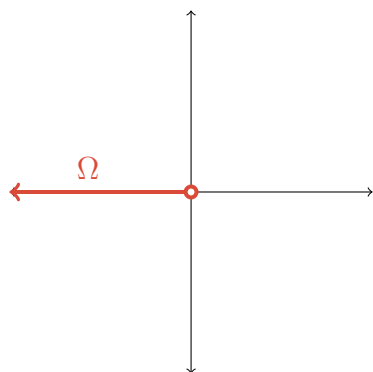
e) $\Omega = \{x + iy \in \mathbb{C} : y = 0\}.$

Solution:

a) $\alpha \in (-\pi, \pi) \Rightarrow M = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \arg z = -\alpha\};$

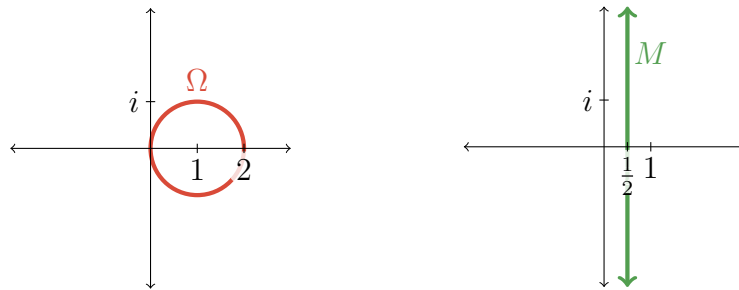


$\alpha = \pi \Rightarrow M = \Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \arg z = \pi\}.$



b)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \underline{M} &= \left\{ u + iv : \frac{1}{u + iv} \in \Omega \right\} \cup \{\infty\} = \\
 &= \left\{ u + iv : \left| \frac{1}{u + iv} - 1 \right| = 1 \right\} \cup \{\infty\} = \\
 &= \{ u + iv : |1 - u - iv| = |u + iv| \} \cup \{\infty\} = \\
 &= \{ u + iv : (1 - u)^2 + v^2 = u^2 + v^2 \} \cup \{\infty\} = \\
 &= \{ u + iv : 1 - 2u = 0 \} \cup \{\infty\} = \\
 &= \underline{\left\{ u + iv : u = \frac{1}{2} \right\} \cup \{\infty\}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

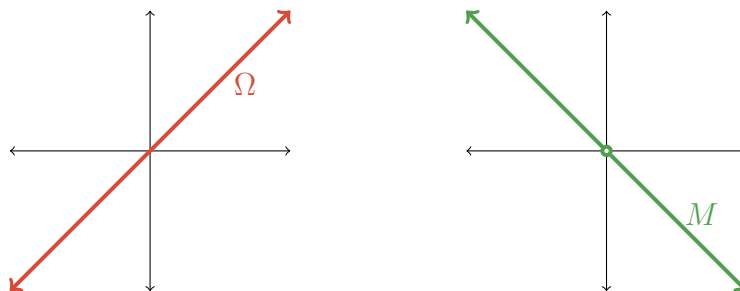


c)

$$\begin{aligned}
 M &= \left\{ u + iv : \frac{1}{u + iv} \in \Omega \right\} \cup \{\infty\} = \\
 &= \left\{ u + iv : \frac{u - iv}{u^2 + v^2} \in \Omega \right\} \cup \{\infty\},
 \end{aligned}$$

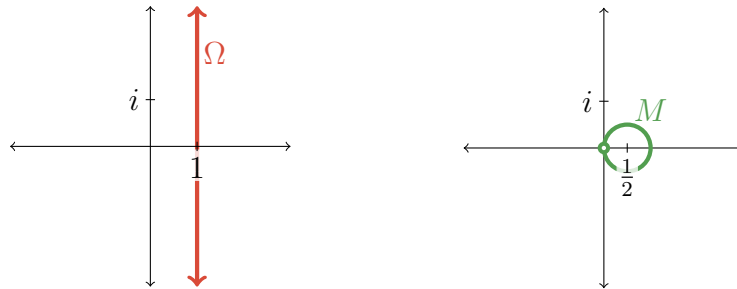
and because $\frac{u}{u^2 + v^2} = \frac{-v}{u^2 + v^2} \Leftrightarrow (u \neq 0 \wedge u = -v)$, we have that

$$\underline{M = \{ u + iv : u \neq 0 \wedge u = -v \} \cup \{\infty\}}.$$



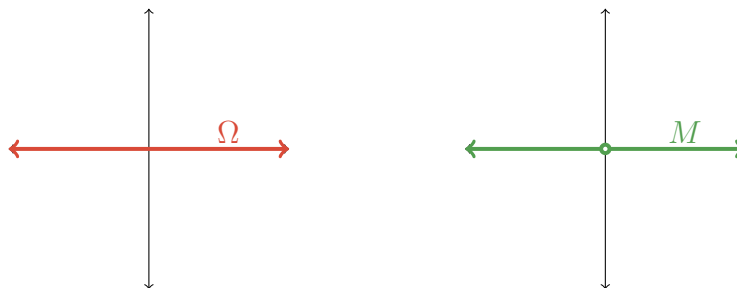
d)

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{M} &= \left\{ u + iv : \frac{1}{u + iv} \in \Omega \right\} = \\ &= \left\{ u + iv : \frac{u}{u^2 + v^2} = 1 \right\} = \\ &= \left\{ u + iv : \left(u - \frac{1}{2} \right)^2 + v^2 = \frac{1}{4} \right\} \setminus \{0\}. \end{aligned}$$



e)

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{M} &= \left\{ u + iv : \frac{1}{u + iv} \in \Omega \right\} \cup \{\infty\} = \\ &= \left\{ u + iv : \frac{-v}{u^2 + v^2} = 0 \right\} \cup \{\infty\} = \\ &= \left\{ u + iv : v = 0 \neq u \right\} \cup \{\infty\}. \end{aligned}$$



EXERCISE 13.

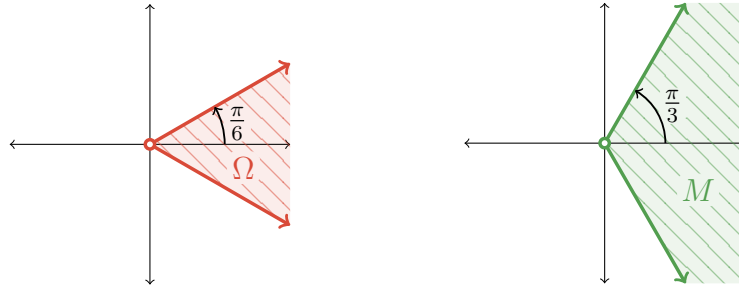
Find and draw the set $M = \{f(z) : z \in \Omega\}$, if

- a) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |\arg z| \leq \frac{\pi}{6}\}$, $f(z) := z^2$;
- b) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |\operatorname{Im} z| < \frac{\pi}{2}\}$, $f(z) := e^z$;
- c) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : 0 < \operatorname{Re} z < \pi \wedge \operatorname{Im} z > 0\}$, $f(z) := e^{iz}$;
- d) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Im} z = \frac{1}{2}\}$, $f(z) := z^2$.

Solution:

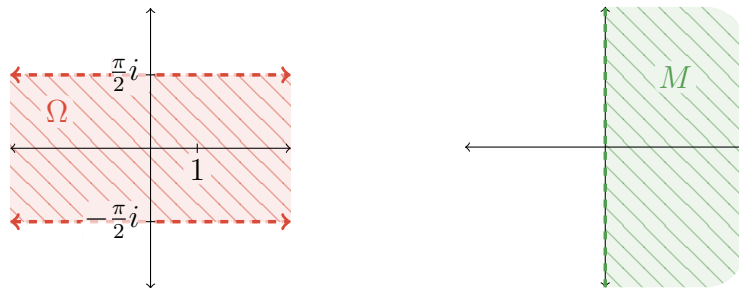
a)

$$\underline{M = \left\{ z \in \mathbb{C} : |\arg z| \leq \frac{\pi}{6} \cdot 2 = \frac{\pi}{3} \right\}.}$$



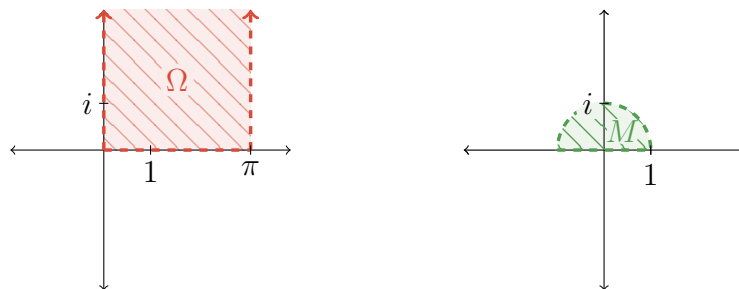
b)

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{M} &= \left\{ e^{x+iy} : |y| < \frac{\pi}{2} \right\} = \\ &= \left\{ e^x (\cos(y) + i \sin(y)) : |y| < \frac{\pi}{2} \right\} = \\ &= \underline{\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z > 0\}}. \end{aligned}$$



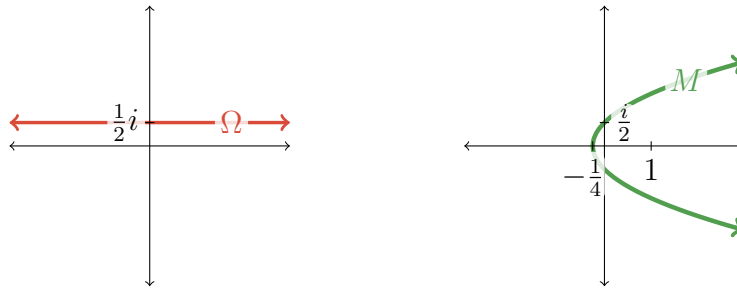
c)

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{M} &= \left\{ e^{i(x+iy)} = e^{-y} (\cos x + i \sin x) : 0 < x < \pi \wedge y > 0 \right\} = \\ &= \underline{\{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1 \wedge \operatorname{Im} z > 0\}}. \end{aligned}$$



d)

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{M} &\equiv \left\{ \left(x + \frac{1}{2}i \right)^2 : x \in \mathbb{R} \right\} = \\ &= \left\{ x^2 - \frac{1}{4} + xi : x \in \mathbb{R} \right\} = \\ &= \left\{ y^2 - \frac{1}{4} + yi : y \in \mathbb{R} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$



EXERCISE 14.

Compute

a) $\sin(2 - 3i)$;

d) $\text{Ln}(-5 + 3i)$ a $\ln(-5 + 3i)$;

b) $\cos i$;

e) $\text{Ln}(-4 - \sqrt{3}i)$ a $\ln(-4 - \sqrt{3}i)$;

c) $\cosh i$;

f) $\text{Ln}(ie^2)$.

Solution:

a)

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{\sin(2 - 3i)} &= \frac{e^{i(2-3i)} - e^{-i(2-3i)}}{2i} = \\ &= \frac{e^3 (\cos(2) + i \sin(2)) - e^{-3} (\cos(-2) + i \sin(-2))}{2i} = \\ &= \frac{e^3 - e^{-3}}{2i} \cdot \cos 2 + \frac{i(e^3 + e^{-3}) \cdot \sin 2}{2i} = \\ &= \frac{\cosh 3 \cdot \sin 2 - (\sinh 3 \cdot \cos 2)i}{1} \doteq \\ &\doteq 9.15 + 4.17i. \end{aligned}$$

b)

$$\underline{\cos i} = \frac{e^{i \cdot i} + e^{-i \cdot i}}{2} = \underline{\cosh 1} \doteq 1.54.$$

c)

$$\cosh i = \frac{e^i + e^{-i}}{2} = \frac{\cos 1 + i \sin 1 + \cos(-1) + i \sin(-1)}{2} = \underline{\cos 1} \doteq 0.54.$$

d)

$$-5 + 3i = \sqrt{34} \left(\cos \left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \arctan \frac{5}{3} \right) + i \sin \left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \arctan \frac{5}{3} \right) \right),$$

and therefore

$$\underline{\text{Ln}(-5 + 3i) = \ln \sqrt{34} + i \left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \arctan \frac{5}{3} \right) + 2k\pi i, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z};}$$

$$\underline{\ln(-5 + 3i) = \ln \sqrt{34} + i \left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \arctan \frac{5}{3} \right).}$$

e)

$$-4 - \sqrt{3}i = \sqrt{19} \left(\cos \left(-\pi + \arctan \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \right) + i \sin \left(-\pi + \arctan \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \right) \right),$$

and therefore

$$\underline{\text{Ln}(-4 - \sqrt{3}i) = \ln \sqrt{19} + i \left(-\pi + \arctan \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \right) + 2k\pi i, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z};}$$

$$\underline{\ln(-4 - \sqrt{3}i) = \ln \sqrt{19} + i \left(-\pi + \arctan \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \right).}$$

f)

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{\text{Ln}(ie^2)} &= \ln(e^2) + i \frac{\pi}{2} + 2k\pi i = \\ &= \underline{2 + \frac{\pi}{2}i + 2k\pi i, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}.} \end{aligned}$$

EXERCISE 15.

Find all $z \in \mathbb{C}$, for which we have that

a) $\sin z = 3;$

d) $\sin z - \cos z = 3;$

b) $\cos z = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2};$

e) $z^2 + 2z + 9 + 6i = 0.$

c) $\sin z + \cos z = 2;$

Solution:

a)

$$\sin z = 3$$

$$\Updownarrow$$

$$e^{iz} - e^{-iz} = 6i$$

$$\Updownarrow$$

$$e^{2iz} - 6ie^{iz} - 1 = 0$$

and from that, we get for $z = x + iy$

$$e^{iz} = e^{i(x+iy)} = \frac{6i \pm \sqrt{-36+4}}{2} = (3 \pm \sqrt{8})i$$

$$\Updownarrow$$

$$e^{-y} (\cos x + i \sin x) = (3 \pm \sqrt{8})i$$

$$\Updownarrow$$

$$e^{-y} = 3 \pm \sqrt{8} \wedge \left(x = \frac{\pi}{2} + 2k\pi, k \in \mathbb{Z} \right)$$

$$\Updownarrow$$

$$\underline{z = \frac{\pi}{2} + 2k\pi - i \ln(3 \pm \sqrt{8}), k \in \mathbb{Z}.}$$

b)

$$\cos z = \frac{e^{iz} + e^{-iz}}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\Updownarrow$$

$$e^{2iz} - \sqrt{3}e^{iz} + 1 = 0$$

$$\Updownarrow$$

$$e^{iz} = e^{(x+iy)i} = e^{-y} (\cos x + i \sin x) = \frac{\sqrt{3} \pm \sqrt{3-4}}{2} =$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \pm \frac{i}{2} = \begin{cases} \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) \\ \cos\left(-\frac{\pi}{6}\right) + i \sin\left(-\frac{\pi}{6}\right) \end{cases}$$

$$\Updownarrow$$

$$e^{-y} = 1 \wedge \left(x = \pm \frac{\pi}{6} + 2k\pi, k \in \mathbb{Z} \right)$$

$$\Updownarrow$$

$$\underline{z = \pm \frac{\pi}{6} + 2k\pi, k \in \mathbb{Z}.}$$

c)

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{e^{iz} - e^{-iz}}{2i} + \frac{e^{iz} + e^{-iz}}{2} &= 2 \\
\Downarrow \\
e^{iz} - e^{-iz} + ie^{iz} + ie^{-iz} &= 4i \\
\Downarrow \\
e^{2iz}(1+i) - 4ie^{iz} + (i-1) &= 0 \\
\Downarrow \\
e^{iz} = \frac{4i \pm \sqrt{-16 - 4(1+i)(i-1)}}{2(1+i)} &= \frac{4i \pm \sqrt{2}i}{2(1+i)} = \\
= \frac{(2 \pm \sqrt{2})i}{1+i} = \frac{(2 \pm \sqrt{2})(1+i)}{2}, &
\end{aligned}$$

and from that

$$\begin{aligned}
iz = \text{Ln} \frac{(2 \pm \sqrt{2})(1+i)}{2} &= \ln \frac{(2 \pm \sqrt{2})\sqrt{2}}{2} + i\frac{\pi}{4} + 2k\pi i, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}, \\
z &= \frac{\pi}{4} + 2k\pi - i \ln(\sqrt{2} \pm 1), \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}.
\end{aligned}$$

d)

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{e^{iz} - e^{-iz}}{2i} - \frac{e^{iz} + e^{-iz}}{2} &= 3 \\
\Downarrow \\
e^{iz} - e^{-iz} - ie^{iz} - ie^{-iz} &= 6i \\
\Downarrow \\
e^{2iz}(1-i) - 6ie^{iz} - (1+i) &= 0 \\
\Downarrow \\
e^{iz} = \frac{6i \pm \sqrt{-36 + 4(1-i)(1+i)}}{2(1-i)} &= \frac{(6 \pm 2\sqrt{7})i}{2(1-i)} = \\
= \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{7}}{2} \cdot (-1+i), &
\end{aligned}$$

and therefore

$$\begin{aligned}
iz = \text{Ln} \left(\frac{3 \pm \sqrt{7}}{2} (-1+i) \right) &= \ln \left(\frac{3 \pm \sqrt{7}}{2} \cdot \sqrt{2} \right) + i\frac{3}{4}\pi + 2k\pi i, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}, \\
z &= \frac{3}{4}\pi + 2k\pi - i \ln \left(\frac{3 \pm \sqrt{7}}{\sqrt{2}} \right), \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}.
\end{aligned}$$

e)

$$\begin{aligned} z &\equiv \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4 - 4(9 + 6i)}}{2} = \\ &= -1 \pm \sqrt{1 - (9 + 6i)} = -1 \pm \sqrt{-8 - 6i} = \\ &= \begin{cases} -2 + 3i, \\ -3i, \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

because

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{-8 - 6i} &= \sqrt{10 \left(\cos \left(\pi + \arctan \frac{3}{4} \right) + i \sin \left(\pi + \arctan \frac{3}{4} \right) \right)} = \\ &= \pm \sqrt{10} \cdot \left(\cos \left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \arctan \frac{3}{4} \right) + i \sin \left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \arctan \frac{3}{4} \right) \right) = \\ &= \pm(-1 + 3i). \end{aligned}$$

EXERCISE 16.

Compute

a) 2^i ;

c) $\left(\frac{1-i}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^{1+i}$;

e) $(-1)^{\sqrt{3}}$;

b) $(-2)^{\sqrt{2}}$;

d) $i^{\frac{3}{4}}$;

f) $(-\sqrt{3}i + 1)^{-3}$.

Solution:

a)
$$\begin{aligned} 2^i &\equiv \exp(i \operatorname{Ln} 2) = \\ &= \exp(i(\ln 2 + 2k\pi i)) = \exp(-2k\pi + i \ln 2) = \\ &= \underline{e^{-2k\pi} (\cos(\ln 2) + i \sin(\ln 2))}, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}. \end{aligned}$$

b)
$$\begin{aligned} (-2)^{\sqrt{2}} &= \exp(\sqrt{2} \operatorname{Ln}(-2)) = \exp(\sqrt{2}(\ln 2 + \pi i + 2k\pi i)) = \\ &= \underline{2^{\sqrt{2}} \left(\cos((2k+1)\pi\sqrt{2}) + i \sin((2k+1)\pi\sqrt{2}) \right)}, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}. \end{aligned}$$

c)
$$\begin{aligned} \left(\frac{1-i}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^{1+i} &= \exp\left((1+i) \operatorname{Ln}\left(\frac{1-i}{\sqrt{2}}\right)\right) = \\ &= \exp\left((1+i)\left(\ln 1 - i\frac{\pi}{4} + 2k\pi i\right)\right) = \exp\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - 2k\pi + (2k\pi - \frac{\pi}{4})i\right) = \\ &= e^{\frac{\pi}{4} - 2k\pi} \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{4} - i \sin \frac{\pi}{4}\right) = e^{\frac{\pi}{4} - 2k\pi} \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} - i\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right) = \\ &= \underline{\frac{1-i}{\sqrt{2}} e^{\frac{\pi}{4} - 2k\pi}}, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}. \end{aligned}$$

d)
$$\begin{aligned} \underline{i^{\frac{3}{4}}} &= e^{\frac{3}{4} \operatorname{Ln} i} = e^{\frac{3}{4}(\frac{\pi}{2}i + 2k\pi i)} = \\ &= \cos\left(\frac{3}{8}\pi + \frac{3}{2}k\pi\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{3}{8}\pi + \frac{3}{2}k\pi\right), \quad k \in \{0, 1, 2, 3\}. \end{aligned}$$

e)
$$\begin{aligned} \underline{(-1)^{\sqrt{3}}} &= e^{\sqrt{3} \operatorname{Ln}(-1)} = e^{\sqrt{3}(\pi i + 2k\pi i)} = \\ &= \cos\left(\sqrt{3}\pi + 2k\pi\sqrt{3}\right) + i \sin\left(\sqrt{3}\pi + 2k\pi\sqrt{3}\right), \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}. \end{aligned}$$

f)
$$\begin{aligned} \underline{(-\sqrt{3}i + 1)^{-3}} &= \left[2\left(\cos\left(-\frac{\pi}{3}\right) + i \sin\left(-\frac{\pi}{3}\right)\right)\right]^{-3} = \\ &= \frac{1}{\left[2\left(\cos\left(-\frac{\pi}{3}\right) + i \sin\left(-\frac{\pi}{3}\right)\right)\right]^3} = \\ &= \frac{1}{8 \cos(-\pi) + i \sin(-\pi)} = \underline{\underline{-\frac{1}{8}}}. \end{aligned}$$

Differently:

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{(-\sqrt{3}i + 1)^{-3}} &= e^{-3 \operatorname{Ln}(-\sqrt{3}i + 1)} = e^{-3(\ln 2 - \frac{\pi}{3}i + 2k\pi i)} = \\ &= \frac{1}{8} (\cos \pi + i \sin \pi) = \underline{\underline{-\frac{1}{8}}}. \end{aligned}$$

EXERCISE 17.

Find the real and imaginary part of the function $f: \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ defined as

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|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| a) $f(z) := \sin z;$ | d) $f(z) := z \bar{z};$ |
| b) $f(z) := z^2 \cos z;$ | e) $f(z) := z^2 \bar{z};$ |
| c) $f(z) := z^3 + 5z - 1;$ | f) $f(z) := \frac{1}{z}.$ |

Solution:

a)

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) = f(x + iy) &= \frac{e^{i(x+iy)} - e^{-i(x+iy)}}{2i} = \\ &= \frac{e^{-y} (\cos x + i \sin x) - e^y (\cos x - i \sin x)}{2i} = \\ &= \frac{e^y + e^{-y}}{2} \sin x + i \frac{e^y - e^{-y}}{2} \cos x. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{(\operatorname{Re} f)(x, y)} &= \cosh y \sin x, \\ \underline{(\operatorname{Im} f)(x, y)} &= \sinh y \cos x. \end{aligned}$$

b)

$$\begin{aligned} f(x+iy) &= (x^2 - y^2 + 2xyi) \frac{e^{i(x+iy)} + e^{-i(x+iy)}}{2} = \\ &= (x^2 - y^2 + 2xyi) \frac{e^{-y}(\cos x + i \sin x) + e^y(\cos x - i \sin x)}{2}, \end{aligned}$$

and therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{(\operatorname{Re} f)(x, y)} &= \underline{(x^2 - y^2) \cosh y \cos x + 2xy \sinh y \sin x}, \\ \underline{(\operatorname{Im} f)(x, y)} &= \underline{-(x^2 - y^2) \sinh y \sin x + 2xy \cosh y \cos x}. \end{aligned}$$

c)

$$\begin{aligned} f(x+iy) &= (x^2 - y^2 + 2xyi)(x+iy) + 5(x+iy) - 1 = \\ &= (x^3 - xy^2 - 2xy^2 + 5x - 1) + i(2x^2y + x^2y - y^3 + 5y). \end{aligned}$$

So

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{(\operatorname{Re} f)(x, y)} &= \underline{x^3 - 3xy^2 + 5x - 1}, \\ \underline{(\operatorname{Im} f)(x, y)} &= \underline{3x^2y - y^3 + 5y}. \end{aligned}$$

d)

$$\begin{aligned} f(x+iy) &= \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} (x - iy) = \\ &= x\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} - iy\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}. \end{aligned}$$

We computed that

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{(\operatorname{Re} f)(x, y)} &= \underline{x\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}, \\ \underline{(\operatorname{Im} f)(x, y)} &= \underline{-y\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}. \end{aligned}$$

e)

$$\begin{aligned} f(x+iy) &= (x^2 - y^2 + 2xyi)(x-iy) = \\ &= x^3 - xy^2 + 2xy^2 + i(2x^2y - x^2y + y^3). \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{(\operatorname{Re} f)(x, y)} &= \underline{x^3 + xy^2}, \\ \underline{(\operatorname{Im} f)(x, y)} &= \underline{x^2y + y^3}. \end{aligned}$$

f)

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

therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{(\operatorname{Re} f)(x, y)} &= \underline{\frac{x}{x^2+y^2}}, \\ \underline{(\operatorname{Im} f)(x, y)} &= \underline{-\frac{y}{x^2+y^2}}. \end{aligned}$$

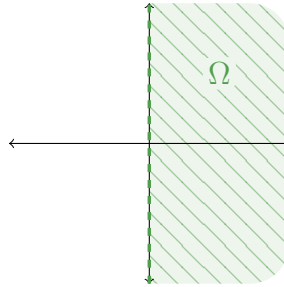
EXERCISE 18.

Decide if the function $f(z) := z^3$ is injective on the set Ω , if

- a) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z > 0\}$;
b) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \arg z \in \langle 0, \frac{\pi}{4} \rangle\}$.

Solution:

a)



Let us choose

$$z_1 = \cos\left(-\frac{\pi}{3}\right) + i \sin\left(-\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{1}{2} + i\left(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) \in \Omega,$$

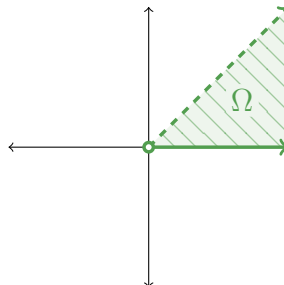
$$z_2 = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{1}{2} + i\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \in \Omega.$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} z_1^3 &= \cos -\pi + i \sin -\pi = -1, \\ z_2^3 &= \cos \pi + i \sin \pi = -1, \end{aligned}$$

and therefore f is not injective on Ω .

b)



Let

$$\begin{aligned} z_1 &= |z_1| (\cos(\varphi_1) + i \sin(\varphi_1)), \\ z_2 &= |z_2| (\cos(\varphi_2) + i \sin(\varphi_2)), \end{aligned}$$

where $\varphi_1, \varphi_2 \in \langle 0, \frac{\pi}{4} \rangle$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} z_1^3 &= z_2^3 \\ \Updownarrow \\ |z_1|^3 (\cos(3\varphi_1) + i \sin(3\varphi_1)) &= |z_2|^3 (\cos(3\varphi_2) + i \sin(3\varphi_2)) \\ \Updownarrow \\ (|z_1| = |z_2|) \wedge (\exists k \in \mathbb{Z}: 3\varphi_1 &= 3\varphi_2 + 2k\pi). \end{aligned}$$

From that, it follows that (we are using the assumption $\varphi_1, \varphi_2 \in \langle 0, \frac{\pi}{4} \rangle$):

$$\begin{aligned} z_1, z_2 \in \Omega \quad & |z_1| = |z_2| \\ z_1^3 = z_2^3 \quad & \Rightarrow \quad \varphi_1 = \varphi_2 \quad \Rightarrow \quad z_1 = z_2, \end{aligned}$$

therefore the function f is injective on Ω .

EXERCISE 19.

Decide if the given limit exists, and if it does compute it

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|--|--|
| a) $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{\operatorname{Re} z}{z};$ | e) $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{z^3}{ z ^2};$ |
| b) $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{\operatorname{Im}(z^2)}{z\bar{z}};$ | f) $\lim_{z \rightarrow i} \frac{z^2 + z(2-i) - 2i}{z^2 + 1};$ |
| c) $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{z \operatorname{Im} z}{ z };$ | g) $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{\operatorname{Re} z}{1 + z }.$ |
| d) $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{z^2}{ z ^2};$ | |

Solution:

- a) $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{\operatorname{Re} z}{z}$ does not exist, because

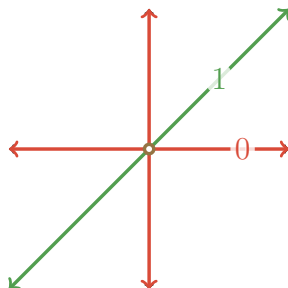
$$0 \neq \frac{1}{n} \rightarrow 0 \wedge \frac{\operatorname{Re}(\frac{1}{n} + 0i)}{\frac{1}{n}} = 1 \rightarrow 1$$

and at the same time

$$0 \neq i \frac{1}{n} \rightarrow 0 \wedge \frac{\operatorname{Re}(i \frac{1}{n})}{\frac{1}{n}} = 0 \rightarrow 0.$$

- b) $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{\operatorname{Im} z^2}{z \cdot \bar{z}}$ does not exist, because for $0 \neq z = x + iy$ we have that

$$\frac{\operatorname{Im} z^2}{z \cdot \bar{z}} = \frac{2xy}{x^2 + y^2} = \begin{cases} 1, & x = y \neq 0, \\ 0, & x \cdot y = 0, \quad x^2 + y^2 \neq 0. \end{cases}$$

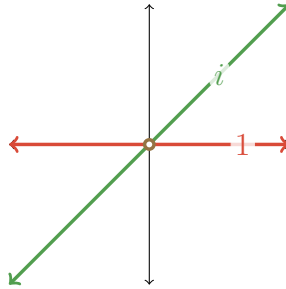


c) $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{z \operatorname{Im} z}{|z|} = 0$, because

$$0 \neq z_n \rightarrow 0 \Rightarrow \left| \frac{z_n \operatorname{Im} z_n}{|z_n|} \right| = |\operatorname{Im} z_n| \rightarrow 0 \Rightarrow \frac{z_n \operatorname{Im} z_n}{|z_n|} \rightarrow 0.$$

d) $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{z^2}{|z|^2}$ does not exist, because for $0 \neq z = x + iy$ we have that

$$\frac{z^2}{|z|^2} = \frac{x^2 - y^2 + 2ixy}{x^2 + y^2} = \begin{cases} i, & x = y \neq 0, \\ 1, & y = 0 \neq x. \end{cases}$$



e) $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{z^3}{|z|^2} = 0$, because

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left| \frac{z^3}{|z|^2} \right| = \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} |z| = 0.$$

f)

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{z \rightarrow i} \frac{z^2 + z(2 - i) - 2i}{z^2 + 1} &= \lim_{z \rightarrow i} \frac{(z - i)(z + 2)}{(z - i)(z + i)} = \lim_{z \rightarrow i} \frac{z + 2}{z + i} = \\ &= \lim_{x+iy \rightarrow i} \frac{x + 2 + iy}{x + i(y + 1)} = \\ &= \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,1)} \frac{x(x + 2) + y(y + 1)}{x^2 + (y + 1)^2} + \\ &\quad + i \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,1)} \frac{xy - (x + 2)(y + 1)}{x^2 + (y + 1)^2} = \\ &= \frac{1 \cdot 2}{2^2} + i \frac{-2 \cdot 2}{4} = \underline{\underline{\frac{1}{2} - i}}. \end{aligned}$$

Alternatively we can use the continuity of the function $f(z) := \frac{z+2}{z+i}$ at the point i :

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow i} \frac{z + 2}{z + i} = \frac{2 + i}{2i} = \underline{\underline{\frac{1}{2} - i}}.$$

g)

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{\operatorname{Re} z}{1 + |z|} = \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x}{1 + \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} = \frac{0}{1} = \underline{\underline{0}}.$$

EXERCISE 20.

Draw the set $\langle \varphi \rangle := \{\varphi(t) : t \in D\varphi\}$, if

a) $\varphi(t) := 1 - it, D\varphi = \langle 0, 2 \rangle;$

b) $\varphi(t) := t - it^2, D\varphi = \langle -1, 2 \rangle;$

c) $\varphi(t) := 1 + e^{-it}, D\varphi = \langle 0, 2\pi \rangle;$

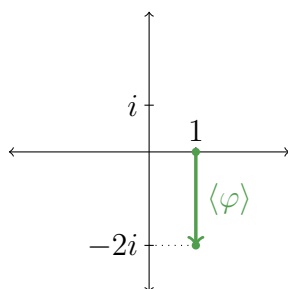
d) $\varphi(t) := e^{2it} - 1, D\varphi = \langle 0, 2\pi \rangle;$

e) $\varphi(t) := \begin{cases} e^{i\pi t}, & t \in \langle 0, 1 \rangle, \\ t - 2, & t \in \langle 1, 3 \rangle; \end{cases}$

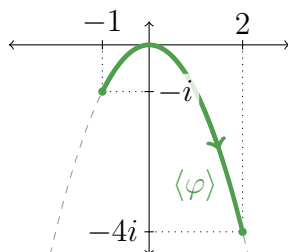
f) $\varphi(t) := \begin{cases} e^{it}, & t \in \langle -\frac{\pi}{2}, \pi \rangle, \\ \frac{3t}{\pi} - 4, & t \in \langle \pi, 2\pi \rangle. \end{cases}$

Solution:

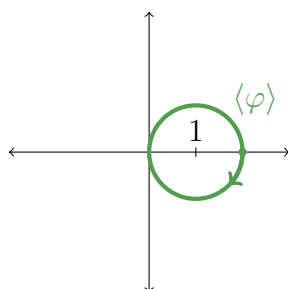
a) $\varphi(t) := 1 - it, D\varphi = \langle 0, 2 \rangle.$



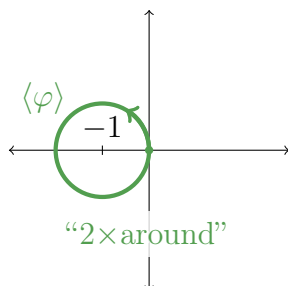
b) $\varphi(t) := t - it^2, D\varphi = \langle -1, 2 \rangle.$



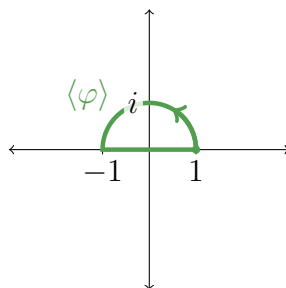
c) $\varphi(t) := 1 + e^{-it}, D\varphi = \langle 0, 2\pi \rangle.$



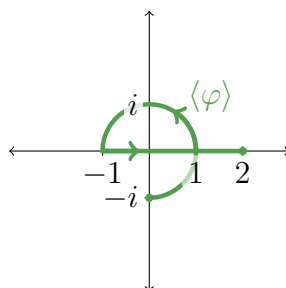
d) $\varphi(t) := e^{2it} - 1, D\varphi = \langle 0, 2\pi \rangle.$



$$e) \varphi(t) := \begin{cases} e^{i\pi t}, & t \in \langle 0, 1 \rangle, \\ t - 2, & t \in \langle 1, 3 \rangle. \end{cases}$$



$$f) \varphi(t) := \begin{cases} e^{it}, & t \in \langle -\frac{\pi}{2}, \pi \rangle, \\ \frac{3t}{\pi} - 4, & t \in \langle \pi, 2\pi \rangle. \end{cases}$$



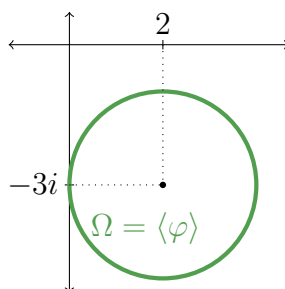
EXERCISE 21.

Find a parametrization of the set Ω (i.e. find a curve φ such that $\langle \varphi \rangle = \Omega$), if

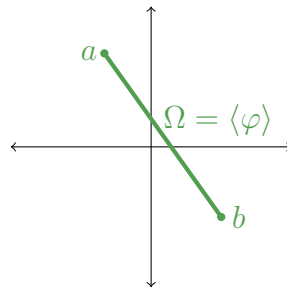
- $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z - 2 + 3i| = 2\}$;
- Ω is a line segment with the endpoints $a, b \in \mathbb{C}$, $a \neq b$;
- $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z = 2 \operatorname{Im} z\}$;
- $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re}(\frac{1}{z}) = 2\}$.

Solution:

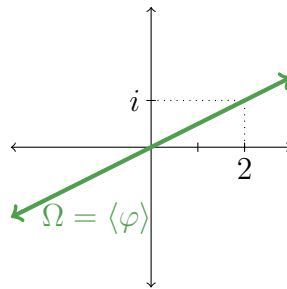
- $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z - 2 + 3i| = 2\}$; $\varphi(t) := 2 - 3i + 2e^{it}$, $t \in \langle 0, 2\pi \rangle$.



b) Ω is a line segment with the endpoints $a, b \in \mathbb{C}$, $a \neq b$; $\varphi(t) := a + (b - a)t$, $t \in (0, 1)$.



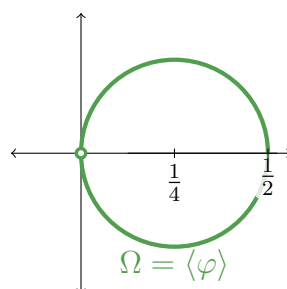
c) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z = 2 \operatorname{Im} z\}$; $\varphi(t) := t + \frac{t}{2}i$, $t \in \mathbb{R}$.



d)

$$\begin{aligned} \Omega &= \left\{ z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} \left(\frac{1}{z} \right) = 2 \right\} = \\ &= \left\{ x + iy : \operatorname{Re} \left(\frac{1}{x + iy} \right) = \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} = 2 \right\} = \\ &= \left\{ x + iy \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\} : 2 \left(x^2 - \frac{x}{2} + y^2 \right) = 0 \right\} = \\ &= \left\{ x + iy \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\} : 2 \left(\left(x - \frac{1}{4} \right)^2 + y^2 - \frac{1}{16} \right) = 0 \right\} = \\ &= \left\{ x + iy \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\} : \left(x - \frac{1}{4} \right)^2 + y^2 = \frac{1}{16} \right\}; \end{aligned}$$

$$\underline{\varphi(t) := \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4}e^{it}, t \in (-\pi, \pi).}$$



EXERCISE 22.

Draw the set Ω , and decide if Ω is a domain and if it is an open set, where

a) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z - i| < 1 \vee |z + i| < 1\}$;

b) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z - 1| < 1 \wedge |z - 2| < 2\}$;

c) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z - 1| < |z + 1|\}$;

d) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z + 1| > 2|z|\}$;

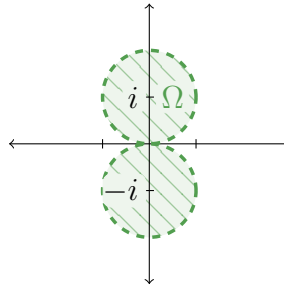
e) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : 1 < |z| < 2\}$;

f) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1 \wedge \arg z \in (-\pi, \pi) \setminus \{0\}\}$;

g) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |2z| < |1 + z^2|\}$.

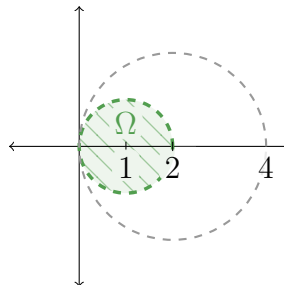
Solution:

a) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z - i| < 1 \vee |z + i| < 1\}$.



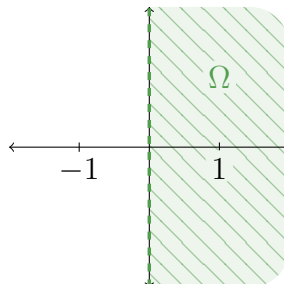
Ω is open, but not connected, and therefore Ω is not a domain.

b) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z - 1| < 1 \wedge |z - 2| < 2\}$.



Ω is open and connected set, and therefore Ω is a domain.

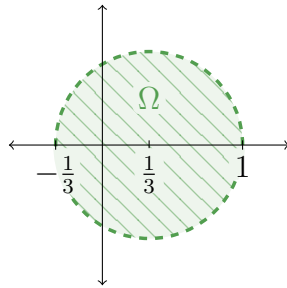
c) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z - 1| < |z + 1|\}$.



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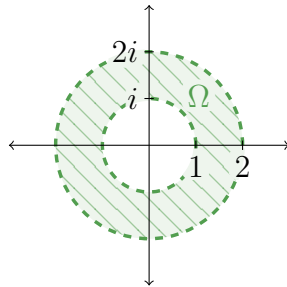
d)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Omega &= \{z \in \mathbb{C}: |z + 1| > 2|z|\} = \\
 &= \{x + iy: (x + 1)^2 + y^2 > 4(x^2 + y^2)\} = \\
 &= \{x + iy: 3x^2 + 3y^2 - 2x - 1 < 0\} = \\
 &= \left\{x + iy: x^2 + y^2 - \frac{2}{3}x - \frac{1}{3} < 0\right\} = \\
 &= \left\{x + iy: \left(x - \frac{1}{3}\right)^2 + y^2 < \frac{4}{9}\right\}.
 \end{aligned}$$



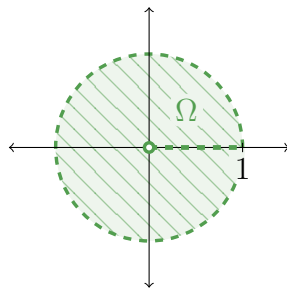
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e) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C}: 1 < |z| < 2\}$.



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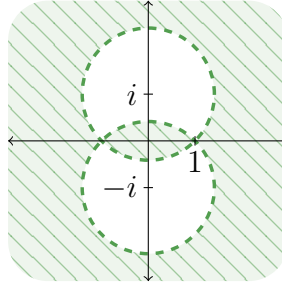
f) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C}: |z| < 1 \wedge \arg z \in (-\pi, \pi) \setminus \{0\}\}$.



Ω is open and connected set, and therefore Ω is a domain.

g)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Omega &= \{z \in \mathbb{C}: |2z| < |1 + z^2|\} = \\
 &= \{x + iy: 4(x^2 + y^2) < (1 + x^2 - y^2)^2 + 4x^2y^2\} = \\
 &= \{x + iy: 4x^2 + 4y^2 < 1 + x^4 + y^4 + 2x^2 - 2y^2 - 2x^2y^2 + 4x^2y^2\} = \\
 &= \{x + iy: 0 < 1 + x^4 + y^4 - 2x^2 - 6y^2 + 2x^2y^2\} = \\
 &= \{x + iy: (x^2 + y^2 - 1)^2 - 4y^2 > 0\} = \\
 &= \{x + iy: (x^2 + y^2 - 1 + 2y)(x^2 + y^2 - 1 - 2y) > 0\} = \\
 &= \{x + iy: [x^2 + (y + 1)^2 - 2][x^2 + (y - 1)^2 - 2] > 0\}.
 \end{aligned}$$



Ω is open, but not connected set, and therefore Ω is not a domain.

EXERCISE 23.

Find all of the points where the function f has a derivative and the points where it is holomorphic, if

a) $f(z) := \operatorname{Re} z;$

e) $f(z) := \frac{\operatorname{Re} z}{z};$

b) $f(z) := |z^2|;$

f) $f(z) := z^2\bar{z};$

c) $f(z) := ze^z;$

d) $f(z) := \bar{z}|z|;$

g) $f(z) := z^2 + 2z - 1.$

Solution:

a)

$$f(x + iy) = \underbrace{x}_{=:u(x,y)} + \underbrace{0}_{=:v(x,y)} \cdot i.$$

For every $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ we have that

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x, y) = 1 \neq 0 = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}(x, y),$$

and because of that it follows that the function f does not have a derivative anywhere and the function f is not holomorphic at any point.

b) $f(x + iy) = |(x + iy)^2| = (|x + iy|)^2 = x^2 + y^2$. So $f = u + iv$, where $u(x, y) := x^2 + y^2$ and $v(x, y) := 0$.

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x, y) = 2x &= \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}(x, y) = 0 \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}(x, y) = 2y &= -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}(x, y) = 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \Leftrightarrow (x, y) = (0, 0),$$

and at the same time the functions u and v are differentiable in \mathbb{R}^2 , and therefore f has a derivative (only) in the point 0 and it is not holomorphic anywhere.

c)

$$\begin{aligned} f(x + iy) &= (x + iy)e^x(\cos y + i \sin y) = \\ &= \underbrace{xe^x \cos y - ye^x \sin y}_{=:u(x,y)} + i \underbrace{(xe^x \sin y + ye^x \cos y)}_{=:v(x,y)}. \end{aligned}$$

Functions u and v are differentiable in \mathbb{R}^2 ,

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x, y) = e^x \cos y + xe^x \cos y - ye^x \sin y,$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial y}(x, y) = xe^x \cos y + e^x \cos y - ye^x \sin y,$$

and

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}(x, y) = -xe^x \sin y - e^x \sin y - ye^x \cos y,$$

$$-\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}(x, y) = -(e^x \sin y + xe^x \sin y + ye^x \cos y).$$

So $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$ and $\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$ in \mathbb{R}^2 , and therefore f is holomorphic everywhere in \mathbb{C} and $f'(z)$ exists at every $z \in \mathbb{C}$.

$$\left(f'(z) = f'(x + iy) = \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \right) (x, y) = \dots = e^z + ze^z. \right)$$

d)

$$f(x + iy) = (x - iy)\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = \underbrace{x\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}_{=:u(x,y)} + i \underbrace{(-y\sqrt{x^2 + y^2})}_{=:v(x,y)}.$$

From this, it follows that for every $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{(0, 0)\}$ we have that

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x, y) = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} + \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} > 0,$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial y}(x, y) = -\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} - \frac{y^2}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} < 0,$$

and therefore: if $z \neq 0$, then $f'(z)$ does not exist.

It remains to prove or disprove the existence of the derivative at the point 0:

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{f'(0)} &= \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(z) - f(0)}{z - 0} = \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{\bar{z} \cdot |z|}{z} = \\ &= \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{|z| (\cos(\arg z) - i \sin(\arg z)) \cdot |z|}{|z| (\cos(\arg z) + i \sin(\arg z))} = \\ &= \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} [|z| \cdot (\cos(-2 \arg z) + i \sin(-2 \arg z))] = \underline{0}, \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{because } \forall z \neq 0: |\cos(-2 \arg z) + i \sin(-2 \arg z)| = 1.$$

Summary: the function f has a derivative only at the point 0, and therefore f is not holomorphic at any point.

e)

$$f(x + iy) = \frac{x}{x + iy} = \frac{x(x - iy)}{x^2 + y^2} = \underbrace{\frac{x^2}{x^2 + y^2}}_{=:u(x,y)} + i \underbrace{\left(-\frac{xy}{x^2 + y^2} \right)}_{=:v(x,y)}.$$

For every $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{(0, 0)\}$ we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x, y) &= \frac{2x(x^2 + y^2) - x^2 \cdot 2x}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} = \frac{2xy^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}, \\ \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}(x, y) &= \frac{-x(x^2 + y^2) + xy \cdot 2y}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} = \frac{-x^3 + xy^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}, \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}(x, y) &= \frac{-x^2 \cdot 2y}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}, \\ \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}(x, y) &= \frac{-y(x^2 + y^2) + xy \cdot 2x}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} = \frac{x^2y - y^3}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}, \end{aligned}$$

and therefore the derivative can exist only in the points $x + iy$ where

$$\left(\frac{2xy^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} = \frac{x(-x^2 + y^2)}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \right) \wedge \left(\frac{2x^2y}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} = \frac{y(x^2 - y^2)}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \right),$$

that is

$$\left(\frac{xy^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} = \frac{-x^3}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \right) \wedge \left(\frac{x^2y}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} = \frac{-y^3}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \right).$$

It is easy to observe that this system of equations has no solution.

Summary: the function f does not have a derivative at any point, and therefore it is not holomorphic at any point.

f)

$$\begin{aligned} f(x + iy) &= (x^2 - y^2 + 2ixy)(x - iy) = \\ &= x^3 - xy^2 + 2xy^2 + i(-x^2y + y^3 + 2x^2y) = \\ &= \underbrace{x^3 + xy^2}_{=:u(x,y)} + i \underbrace{(y^3 + x^2y)}_{=:v(x,y)}. \end{aligned}$$

The functions u and v are differentiable in \mathbb{R}^2 , and for every $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x, y) &= 3x^2 + y^2, & \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}(x, y) &= 2xy, \\ \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}(x, y) &= 3y^2 + x^2, & -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}(x, y) &= -2xy. \end{aligned}$$

From this, it follows that the derivative exists in all such points $x + iy$ for which $2x^2 = 2y^2$ and $4xy = 0$. There is only one such point, which is $z = 0 + i0 = 0$.

Summary: the function f has a derivative only in the point 0

$(f'(0) = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(0, 0) + i\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}(0, 0) = 0)$, it is not holomorphic anywhere.

g)

$$f(x + iy) = x^2 - y^2 + 2ixy + 2x + 2iy - 1 = \underbrace{x^2 - y^2 + 2x - 1}_{=:u(x,y)} + i \underbrace{(2xy + 2y)}_{=:v(x,y)}.$$

For every $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x, y) &= 2x + 2 = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}(x, y), \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}(x, y) &= -2y = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}(x, y), \end{aligned}$$

and because the functions u and v are moreover differentiable in \mathbb{R}^2 , we have

$$f'(z) = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x, y) + i\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}(x, y) = \dots = 2z + 2$$

for every $z = x + iy$. The function f has the derivative at every point $z \in \mathbb{C}$ and it is holomorphic at every point $z \in \mathbb{C}$.

EXERCISE 24.

Determine, if the function Φ is harmonic on the domain Ω , where

a) $\Phi(x, y) := x^2 - y^2 + 2022$, $\Omega = \mathbb{C}$;

b) $\Phi(x, y) := \frac{x}{x^2+y^2} + x^2 - y^2 + x - y$, $\Omega = \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$.

Solution:

a) Obviously $\Phi \in \mathcal{C}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^2)$ and for every $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ we have that

$$\Delta\Phi(x, y) = \frac{\partial^2\Phi}{\partial x^2}(x, y) + \frac{\partial^2\Phi}{\partial y^2}(x, y) = 2 - 2 = 0,$$

therefore Φ is harmonic in \mathbb{C} .

b) $\Phi \in C^\infty(\mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{(0,0)\})$ and for every $(x, y) \neq (0,0)$ we have that

$$\frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial x}(x, y) = \frac{x^2 + y^2 - x2x}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} + 2x + 1,$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 \Phi}{\partial x^2}(x, y) = \frac{-2x(x^2 + y^2)^2 - (-x^2 + y^2)2(x^2 + y^2)2x}{(x^2 + y^2)^4} + 2,$$

$$\frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial y}(x, y) = \frac{-x2y}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} - 2y - 1,$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 \Phi}{\partial y^2}(x, y) = \frac{-2x(x^2 + y^2)^2 + 2xy2(x^2 + y^2)2y}{(x^2 + y^2)^4} - 2.$$

From this, it follows that

$$\Delta \Phi(x, y) = \frac{-2x(x^2 + y^2) - 4x(y^2 - x^2)}{(x^2 + y^2)^3} + \frac{-2x(x^2 + y^2) + 8xy^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^3} = 0,$$

and therefore Φ is harmonic in $\mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$.

EXERCISE 25.

Find (if it exists) a holomorphic function $f = u + iv$, $f: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, where

a) $u(x, y) := x^3 - 3xy^2 - 2y$, $\Omega = \mathbb{C}$;

b) $u(x, y) := \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2}$, $\Omega = \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$;

c) $u(x, y) := 3x^2 - y^2 + 3x + y$, $\Omega = \mathbb{C}$;

d) $u(x, y) := x^2 - y^2 + 5x + y - \frac{y}{x^2 + y^2}$, $\Omega = \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$.

Solution:

a)

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x, y) = 3x^2 - 3y^2 = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}(x, y) \Rightarrow v(x, y) = 3x^2y - y^3 + \varphi(x),$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}(x, y) = -6xy - 2 = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}(x, y) = -6xy - \varphi'(x) \Rightarrow \varphi(x) = 2x + c, \quad c \in \mathbb{R},$$

and therefore

$$\underline{f(x + iy) = (x^3 - 3xy^2 - 2y) + i(3x^2y - y^3 + 2x + c), \quad c \in \mathbb{R}.$$

(You can simplify this to $f(z) = z^3 + 2zi + ci$, $c \in \mathbb{R}$.)

b)

$$-\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}(x, y) = \frac{2xy}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}(x, y) \Rightarrow v(x, y) = \int \frac{2xy}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} dx.$$

After the change of variables $x^2 + y^2 = t$ ($2x dx = dt$) we get

$$\int \frac{2xy}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} dx = y \int \frac{dt}{t^2} = y \frac{-1}{t} = \frac{-y}{x^2 + y^2},$$

and therefore

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

Plugging this into the second Cauchy-Riemann condition we get

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x, y) = \frac{y^2 - x^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}(x, y) = \frac{y^2 - x^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} + \varphi'(y) \Rightarrow \varphi(y) = c, \quad c \in \mathbb{R},$$

and therefore

$$\underline{f(z) = f(x + iy) = \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} + i \left(\frac{-y}{x^2 + y^2} + c \right) = \frac{1}{z} + ci, \quad c \in \mathbb{R}.}$$

c)

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x, y) = 6x + 3, \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}(x, y) = -2y + 1,$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}(x, y) = 6, \quad \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2}(x, y) = -2,$$

and therefore

$$\Delta u(x, y) \neq 0 \text{ for every } (x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2.$$

Function u is not harmonic on Ω , and therefore the required function f does not exist.

d)

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x, y) = 2x + 5 + \frac{2xy}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}(x, y)$$

↓

$$v(x, y) = 2xy + 5y - \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} + \varphi(x).$$

Furthermore

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}(x, y) = -2y + 1 + \frac{y^2 - x^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}(x, y) = -2y + \frac{y^2 - x^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} - \varphi'(x)$$

↓

$$\varphi'(x) = -1.$$

From this we can easily obtain that $v(x, y) = 2xy + 5y - \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} - x + c, \quad c \in \mathbb{R}.$

The sought-after function is

$$\underline{f(x + iy) = \left(x^2 - y^2 + 5x + y - \frac{y}{x^2 + y^2} \right) + i \left(2xy + 5y - \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} - x + c \right), \quad c \in \mathbb{R},}$$

which is

$$\underline{f(z) = z^2 + (5 - i)z - \frac{i}{z} + ci, \quad c \in \mathbb{R}.}$$

EXERCISE 26.

Let $u(x, y) := x^3 - 3xy^2 - 2y + 2$. Find (if it exists) a holomorphic function $f = u + iv$, $f: \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, where

- a) $f(0) = i$;
 b) $f(1) = 3 - i$.

Solution:

Similarly to the solution to Exercise 25 a) we can find out that

$$f(x + iy) = (x^3 - 3xy^2 - 2y + 2) + i(3x^2y - y^3 + 2x + c), \text{ where } c \in \mathbb{R}.$$

- a) The requirement

$$f(0) = f(0 + 0i) = 2 + ic = i$$

obviously cannot be satisfied by any choice of $c \in \mathbb{R}$. The function f with the required properties does not exist.

- b) We want to satisfy the condition

$$f(1) = f(1 + 0i) = 3 + i(2 + c) = 3 - i,$$

and therefore $2 + c = -1$, which is $c = -3$. So the required function exists, it is

$$\underline{f(x + iy) = (x^3 - 3xy^2 - 2y + 2) + i(3x^2y - y^3 + 2x - 3)}.$$

EXERCISE 27.

Find (if it exists) a holomorphic function $f = u + iv$, $f: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, where

- a) $v(x, y) := -3xy^2 + x^3 + 5$, $\Omega = \mathbb{C}$;
 b) $v(x, y) := \arctan \frac{y}{x}$, $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C}: \operatorname{Re} z > 0\}$.

Solution:

- a)

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}(x, y) &= -6xy = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x, y) \Rightarrow u(x, y) = -3x^2y + \varphi(y), \\ -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}(x, y) &= 3y^2 - 3x^2 = \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}(x, y) = -3x^2 + \varphi'(y) \Rightarrow \varphi(y) = y^3 + c, \quad c \in \mathbb{R}, \end{aligned}$$

and therefore

$$\underline{f(x + iy) = (-3x^2y + y^3 + c) + i(-3xy^2 + x^3 + 5)}, \quad c \in \mathbb{R},$$

which is

$$\underline{f(z) = c + iz^3 + 5i}, \quad c \in \mathbb{R}.$$

b)

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial y}(x, y) = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{y^2}{x^2}} \cdot \frac{1}{x} = \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x, y),$$

and therefore

$$u(x, y) = \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2 + y^2) + \varphi(y).$$

Plugging this into the second C-R condition

$$-\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}(x, y) = \frac{-1}{1 + \frac{y^2}{x^2}} \cdot \frac{-y}{x^2} = \frac{y}{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}(x, y) = \frac{y}{x^2 + y^2} + \varphi'(y)$$

we get

$$\varphi(y) = c, \quad c \in \mathbb{R}.$$

The sought function on the set Ω is

$$\underline{f(x + iy) = \ln \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} + c + i \arg(x + iy), \quad c \in \mathbb{R},}$$

which is

$$\underline{f(z) = c + \ln z, \quad c \in \mathbb{R}.$$

EXERCISE 28.

Let $\Omega := \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z > 0\}$. Let $v(x, y) := 1 + \arctan \frac{y}{x}$. Find (if it exists) a holomorphic function $f = u + iv$, $f: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, where

a) $f(3) = \ln 3 + 6 + i$;

b) $f(e) = 1 - i$.

Solution:

Similarly to the Exercise 27 b) we have

$$f(x + iy) = \ln \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} + c + i \left(\arctan \frac{y}{x} + 1 \right), \quad c \in \mathbb{R}.$$

a)

$$f(3 + 0i) = \ln 3 + c + i = \ln 3 + 6 + i \Rightarrow c = 6,$$

and therefore

$$\underline{f(x + iy) = \ln \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} + 6 + i \left(\arctan \frac{y}{x} + 1 \right) \text{ in } \Omega.}$$

b)

$$\forall c \in \mathbb{R}: f(e + 0i) = 1 + c + i \neq 1 - i.$$

The sought function f does not exist.

EXERCISE 29.

Prove that even though the function

$$v(x, y) := \ln(x^2 + y^2)$$

is harmonic on (*doubly connected*) domain $\mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$, there does not exist a function $u : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, such that $f := u + iv$ is holomorphic in $\mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$.

Solution:

Clearly $v \in \mathcal{C}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{(0, 0)\})$, and for every $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{(0, 0)\}$:

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}(x, y) = \frac{2x}{x^2 + y^2},$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial x^2}(x, y) = \frac{2(x^2 + y^2) - 2x \cdot 2x}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} = \frac{2(y^2 - x^2)}{(x^2 + y^2)^2},$$

and therefore (the partial derivatives with respect to y are analogous)

$$\Delta v(x, y) = \frac{2(y^2 - x^2)}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} + \frac{2(x^2 - y^2)}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} = 0.$$

We've proven that the function v is on $\mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$ harmonic.

Let us assume, for contradiction, that there is a function u with the properties stated above. Then for $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$, such that $x + iy \in \Omega_1 := \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z > 0\}$, we have

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

and therefore (if we use the change of variables $\frac{y}{x} = t$, $\frac{1}{x} dy = dt$)

$$\begin{aligned} u(x, y) &= \int -\frac{2x}{x^2 + y^2} dy = \\ &= \int -\frac{2}{x} \frac{dy}{1 + \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^2} = -2 \arctan \frac{y}{x} + \varphi(x). \end{aligned}$$

Let us plug that into the second C-R condition

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial y}(x, y) = \frac{2y}{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x, y) = \frac{2y}{x^2 + y^2} + \varphi'(x)$$

to figure out that

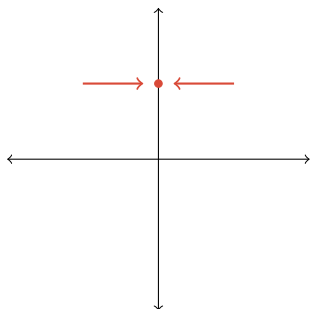
$$u(x, y) = -2 \arctan \frac{y}{x} + c_1 \text{ for some } c_1 \in \mathbb{R}.$$

Similarly there must exist a $c_2 \in \mathbb{R}$, such that for every $x + iy \in \Omega_2 := \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z < 0\}$ we have

$$u(x, y) = -2 \arctan \frac{y}{x} + c_2.$$

At the same time the function u is continuous on $\mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{(0, 0)\}$ (at every point $\mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{(0, 0)\}$ it must be differentiable), and therefore

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} u(x, 1) & = & u(0, 1) & = & \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} u(x, 1). \\ \parallel & & & & \parallel \\ \pi + c_2 & & & & -\pi + c_1 \end{array}$$

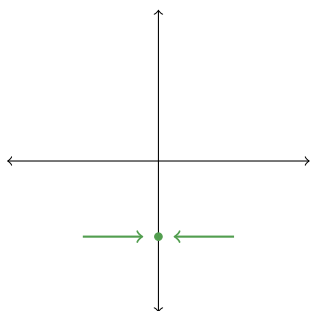


From this, it follows that

$$2\pi = c_1 - c_2.$$

Analogously

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} u(x, -1) & = & u(0, -1) & = & \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} u(x, -1), \\ \parallel & & & & \parallel \\ -\pi + c_2 & & & & \pi + c_1 \end{array}$$



and therefore

$$2\pi = c_2 - c_1.$$

This leads us to the fact that

$$2\pi = c_1 - c_2 = -(c_2 - c_1) = -2\pi,$$

which is a contradiction. The sought function u does not exist.

EXERCISE 30.

Find the rotational angle and extensibility coefficient of the function f at the point z_0 , where

a) $f(z) := e^z$, $z_0 = -1 - \frac{\pi}{2}i$;

b) $f(z) := z^3$, $z_0 = -3 + 4i$;

c) $f(z) := \frac{z+i}{z-i}$, $z_0 = 2i$.

Solution:

a)

$$|f'(z_0)| = |e^{z_0}| = |e^{-1-i\frac{\pi}{2}}| = \frac{1}{e},$$

which is the extensibility coefficient of the function f at the point z_0 (and $\frac{1}{e} < 1$ implies that it is a *contraction*).

$$\arg f'(z_0) = \arg \left(\frac{1}{e} \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{2} - i \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \right) = \arg \left(-\frac{i}{e} \right) = \underline{\underline{-\frac{\pi}{2}}},$$

which is the rotational angle of the function f at the point z_0 .

b) $z_0 = 5 \left(\cos \left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \arctan \frac{3}{4} \right) + i \sin \left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \arctan \frac{3}{4} \right) \right)$, and therefore

$$f'(z_0) = 3z_0^2 = 3 \cdot 25 \left(\cos \left(\pi + 2 \arctan \frac{3}{4} \right) + i \sin \left(\pi + 2 \arctan \frac{3}{4} \right) \right).$$

From this we get

$$|f'(z_0)| = \underline{75} \quad \dots \text{ extensibility coefficient of the function } f \text{ at } z_0 \\ (75 > 1, \text{ therefore it is a } \textit{dilatation}),$$

$$\arg f'(z_0) = \underline{-\pi + 2 \arctan \frac{3}{4}} \quad \dots \text{ rotational angle of the function } f \text{ at the point } z_0.$$

c)

$$f'(z) = \frac{z-i-(z+i)}{(z-i)^2} = \frac{-2i}{(z-i)^2},$$

$$f'(z_0) = \frac{-2i}{i^2} = 2i,$$

and therefore

$$1 < |f'(z_0)| = \underline{2} \quad \dots \text{ extensibility coefficient of } f \text{ at } z_0 \text{ (} \textit{dilatation}),$$

$$\arg f'(z_0) = \underline{\frac{\pi}{2}} \quad \dots \text{ rotational angle } f \text{ at } z_0.$$

EXERCISE 31.

Determine at which points of the complex plane is the given mapping a contraction:

a) $f(z) := \frac{2}{z}$;

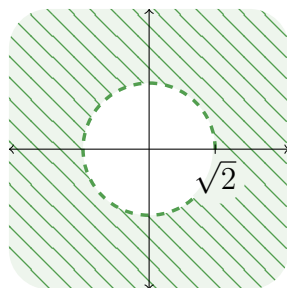
b) $f(z) := \ln(z + 4)$.

Solution:

a) $f'(z) = \frac{-2}{z^2}$. Therefore for $z \in \mathbb{C}$:

$$0 < |f'(z)| < 1 \Leftrightarrow \left| \frac{-2}{z^2} \right| < 1 \Leftrightarrow 2 < |z|^2 \Leftrightarrow \sqrt{2} < |z|.$$

The mapping f is a contraction in every point of the set $\{z \in \mathbb{C}: |z| > \sqrt{2}\}$.



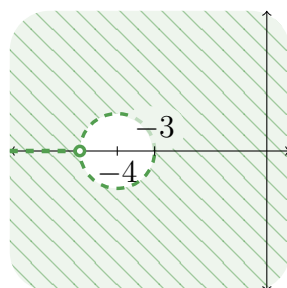
b) $f'(z)$ exists in $\mathbb{C} \setminus \{x + iy: y = 0 \wedge x \leq -4\} =: \Omega$. For every $z \in \Omega$ we have that

$$|f'(z)| = \left| \frac{1}{z+4} \right|,$$

$$0 < \frac{1}{|z+4|} < 1 \Leftrightarrow 1 < |z+4|.$$

The mapping f is a contraction at every point of the set

$$\underline{\{z \in \mathbb{C}: |z+4| > 1\} \setminus \{x + iy: y = 0 \wedge x \leq -4\}}.$$



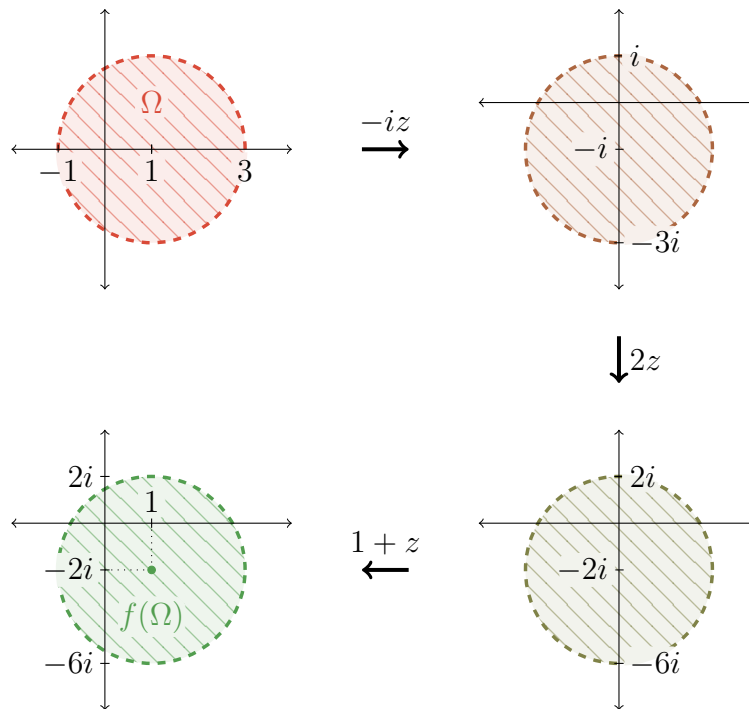
EXERCISE 32.

Draw the sets Ω and $f(\Omega) = \{f(z) : z \in \Omega\}$, where²

- a) $\Omega = U(1, 2)$, $f(z) := 1 - 2iz$;
- b) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z < 1\}$, $f(z) := (1 + i)z + 1$;
- c) $\Omega = U(1, 2)$, $f(z) := \frac{1}{z}$;
- d) $\Omega = U(1, 2)$, $f(z) := \frac{2iz}{z+3}$;
- e) $\Omega = U(1, 2)$, $f(z) := \frac{z-1}{2z-6}$;
- f) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z < 1\}$, $f(z) := \frac{1}{z}$;
- g) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z < 1\}$, $f(z) := \frac{z}{z-1+i}$;
- h) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z < 1\}$, $f(z) := \frac{z}{z-2}$;
- i) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z < 0 \wedge \operatorname{Im} z < 0\}$, $f(z) := \frac{1}{z}$;
- j) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z > 0 \wedge \operatorname{Im} z > 0\}$, $f(z) := \frac{z-1}{z+1}$;
- k) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : -1 < \operatorname{Re} z < 0 \wedge \operatorname{Im} z < 0\}$, $f(z) := \frac{z-i}{z+i}$;
- l) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1 \wedge \operatorname{Re} z < 0 \wedge \operatorname{Im} z > 0\}$, $f(z) := \frac{z}{z-i}$.

Solution:

- a) $\Omega = U(1, 2)$, $f(z) := 1 - 2iz$, $f(\Omega) = U(1 - 2i, 4)$.



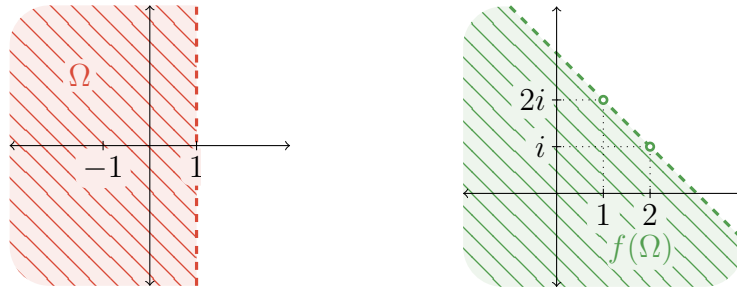
²A hint for some of the following exercises. Realize (and prove) that:

$$f \text{ is conformal in the set } \left. \begin{array}{l} \Omega \subset \mathbb{C}_\infty \\ A, B \subset \Omega \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow f(A \cap B) = f(A) \cap f(B).$$

b) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z < 1\}$, $f(z) := (1+i)z + 1$,

$$\begin{aligned} f(1) &= 1 + i + 1 = 2 + i, \\ f(1+i) &= 2i + 1, \\ f(0) &= 1, \end{aligned}$$

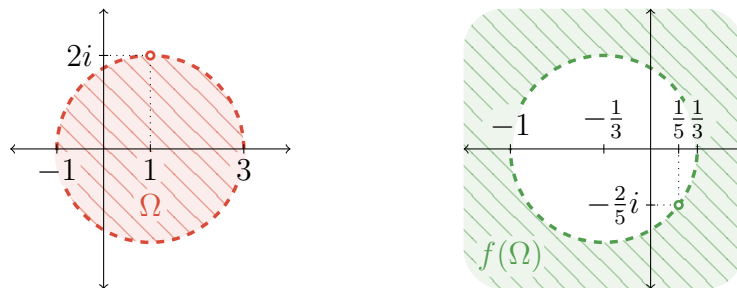
and therefore (think it through!) $\underline{f(\Omega) = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z + \operatorname{Im} z < 3\}}$.



c) $\Omega = U(1, 2)$, $f(z) := \frac{1}{z}$,

$$\begin{aligned} f(0) &= \infty, \\ f(-1) &= -1, \\ f(3) &= \frac{1}{3}, \\ f(1+2i) &= \frac{1}{1+2i} = \frac{1-2i}{5}, \end{aligned}$$

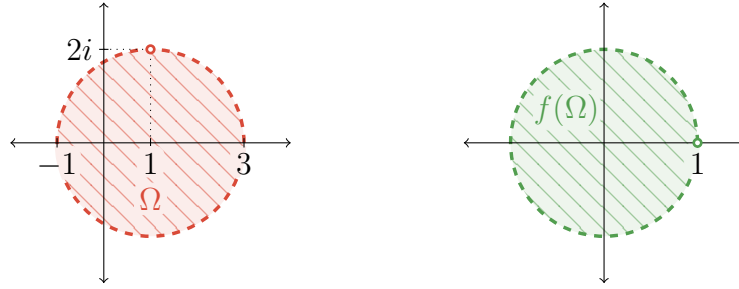
and therefore $\underline{f(\Omega) = \mathbb{C}_\infty \setminus U\left(-\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}\right)}$.



d) $\Omega = U(1, 2)$, $f(z) := \frac{2iz}{z+3}$,

$$\begin{aligned} f(-3) &= \infty, \\ f(-1) &= \frac{-2i}{2} = -i, \\ f(3) &= i, \\ f(1+2i) &= \frac{2i(1+2i)}{4+2i} = -\frac{4-2i}{4+2i} = -\frac{3}{5} + \frac{4}{5}i, \end{aligned}$$

and therefore $\underline{f(\Omega) = U(0, 1)}$.



e) $\Omega = U(1, 2)$, $f(z) := \frac{z-1}{2z-6}$,

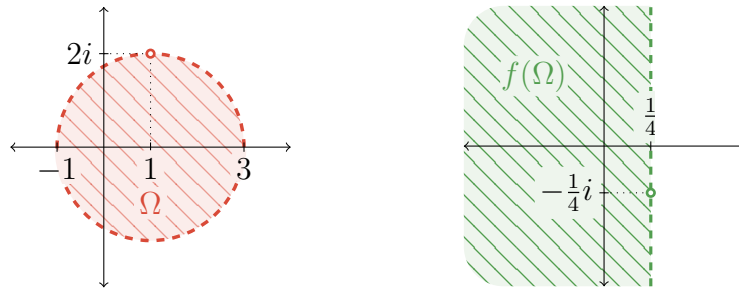
$$f(0) = \frac{1}{6},$$

$$f(3) = \infty,$$

$$f(-1) = \frac{-2}{-8} = \frac{1}{4},$$

$$f(1+2i) = \frac{2i}{2+4i-6} = \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4}i,$$

and therefore $f(\Omega) = \left\{ z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z < \frac{1}{4} \right\}$.



f) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z < 1\}$, $f(z) := \frac{1}{z}$,

$$f(1) = 1,$$

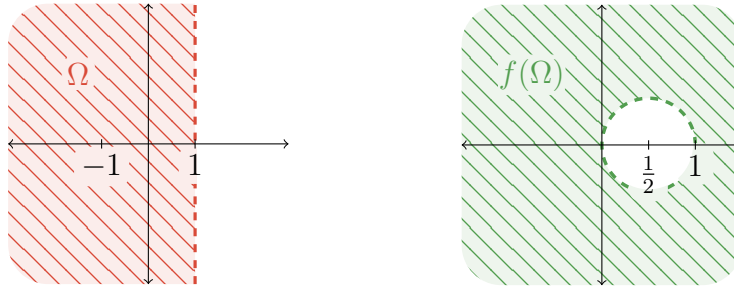
$$f(0) = \infty,$$

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

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

$$f(\infty) = 0,$$

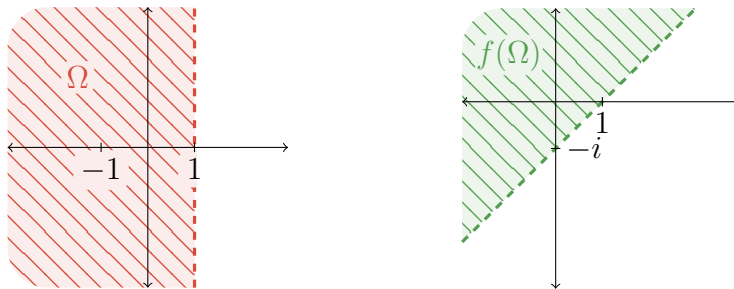
and therefore $f(\Omega) = \overline{\mathbb{C}_\infty \setminus U\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)}$.



g) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z < 1\}$, $f(z) := \frac{z}{z-1+i}$,

$$\begin{aligned} f(0) &= 0, \\ f(1) &= \frac{1}{i} = -i, \\ f(1-i) &= \infty, \\ f(1+i) &= \frac{1+i}{2i} = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}i, \end{aligned}$$

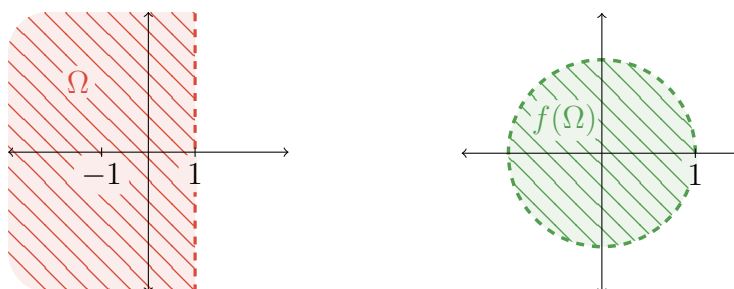
and therefore $\underline{f(\Omega) = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Im} z > \operatorname{Re} z - 1\}}$.



h) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z < 1\}$, $f(z) := \frac{z}{z-2}$,

$$\begin{aligned} f(2) &= \infty, \\ f(1) &= -1, \\ f(1+i) &= \frac{-2i}{2} = -i, \\ f(\infty) &= 1, \end{aligned}$$

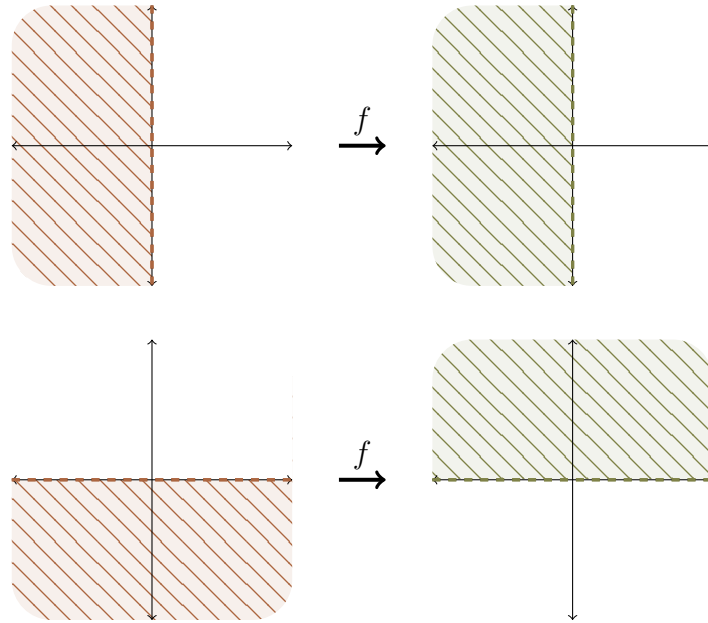
and therefore $\underline{f(\Omega) = U(0, 1)}$.



i) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C}: \operatorname{Re} z < 0 \wedge \operatorname{Im} z < 0\}$, $f(z) := \frac{1}{z}$,

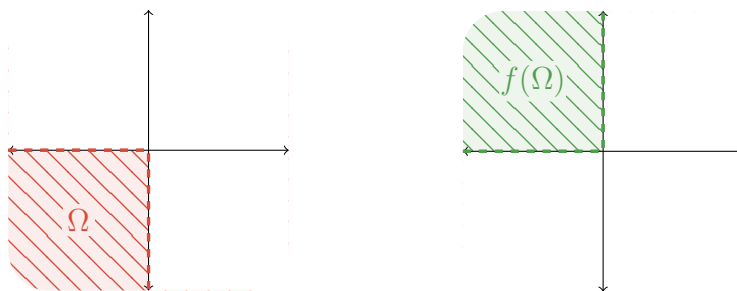
$$\begin{aligned} f(0) &= \infty, \\ f(-1) &= -1, \\ f(1) &= 1, \\ f(i) &= -i, \\ f(-i) &= i, \end{aligned}$$

and therefore $\Omega = \Omega_1 \cap \Omega_2$, where $\Omega_1 := \{z \in \mathbb{C}: \operatorname{Re} z < 0\}$, $\Omega_2 := \{z \in \mathbb{C}: \operatorname{Im} z < 0\}$,



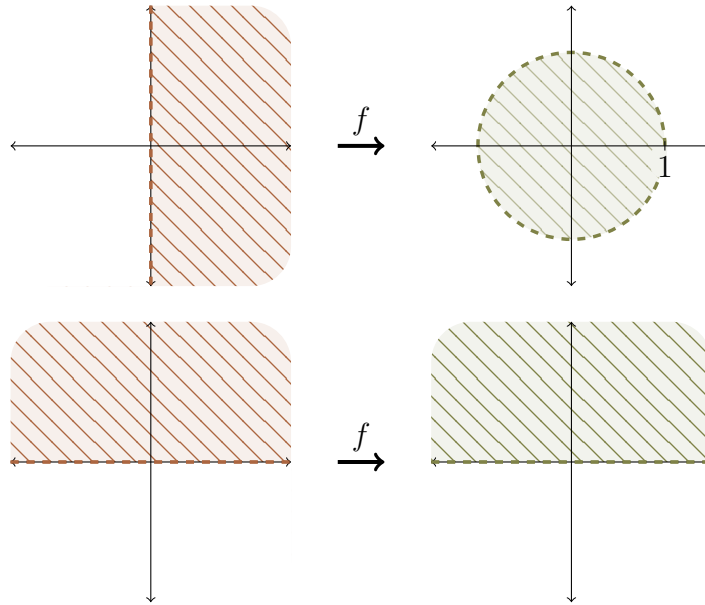
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$$\underline{f(\Omega) = f(\Omega_1) \cap f(\Omega_2) = \{z \in \mathbb{C}: \operatorname{Re} z < 0 \wedge \operatorname{Im} z > 0\}}.$$



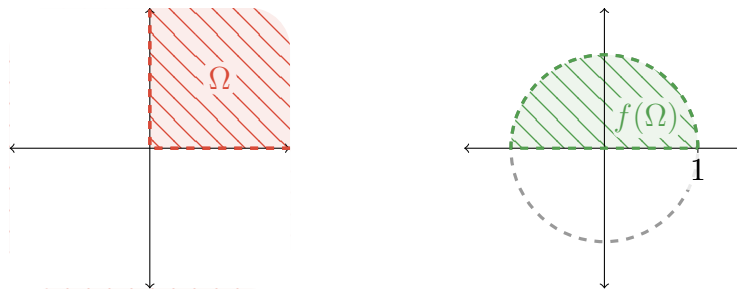
j) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C}: \operatorname{Re} z > 0 \wedge \operatorname{Im} z > 0\}$, $f(z) := \frac{z-1}{z+1}$,

$$\begin{aligned} f(0) &= -1, \\ f(1) &= 0, \\ f(i) &= \frac{i-1}{i+1} = i, \\ f(-i) &= -i, \\ f(-1) &= \infty, \end{aligned}$$



and therefore

$$f(\Omega) = \{z \in \mathbb{C}: |z| < 1 \wedge \text{Im } z > 0\}.$$



k) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C}: -1 < \text{Re } z < 0 \wedge \text{Im } z < 0\}$, $f(z) := \frac{z-i}{z+i}$,

$$f(0) = -1,$$

$$f(i) = 0,$$

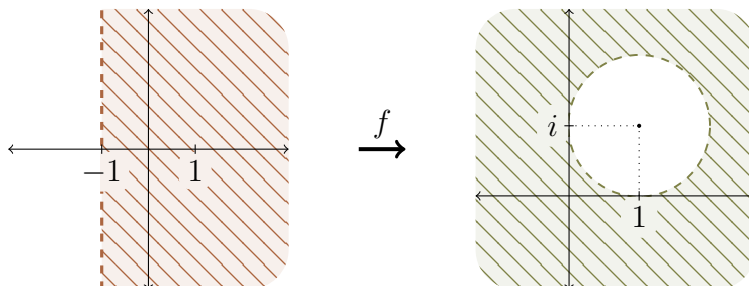
$$f(-i) = \infty,$$

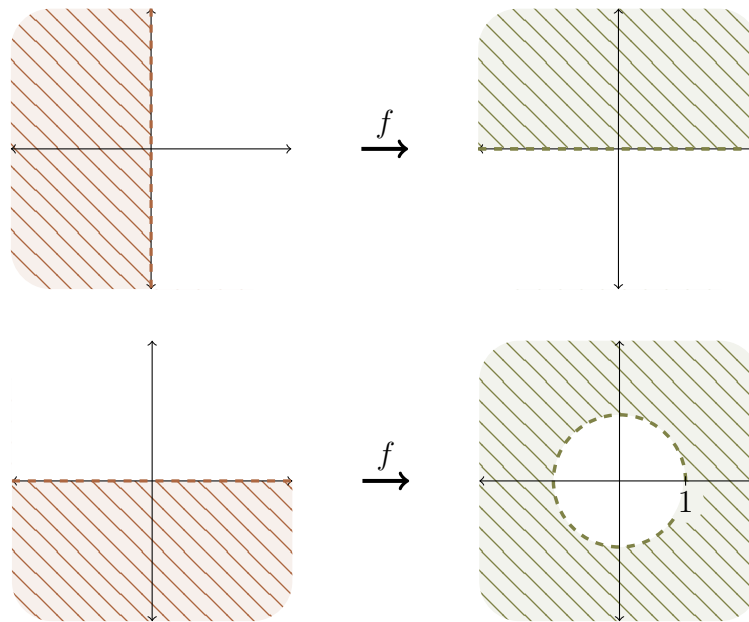
$$f(1) = \frac{1-i}{1+i} = \frac{(1-i)^2}{2} = -i,$$

$$f(-1) = \frac{-1-i}{-1+i} = \frac{(-1-i)^2}{2} = i,$$

$$f(-1+i) = \frac{-1}{-1+2i} = \frac{1+2i}{5},$$

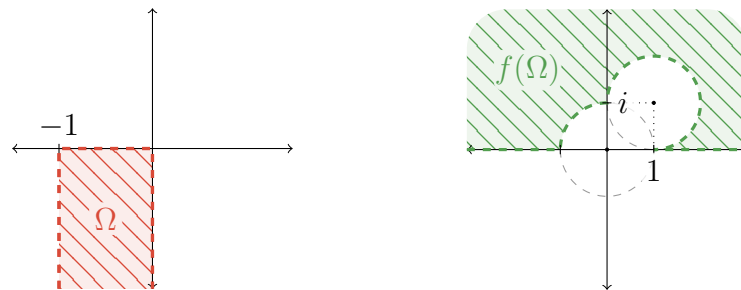
$$f(-1-i) = 1+2i,$$





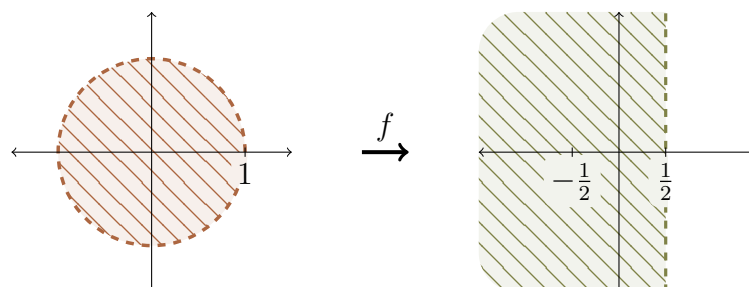
and therefore

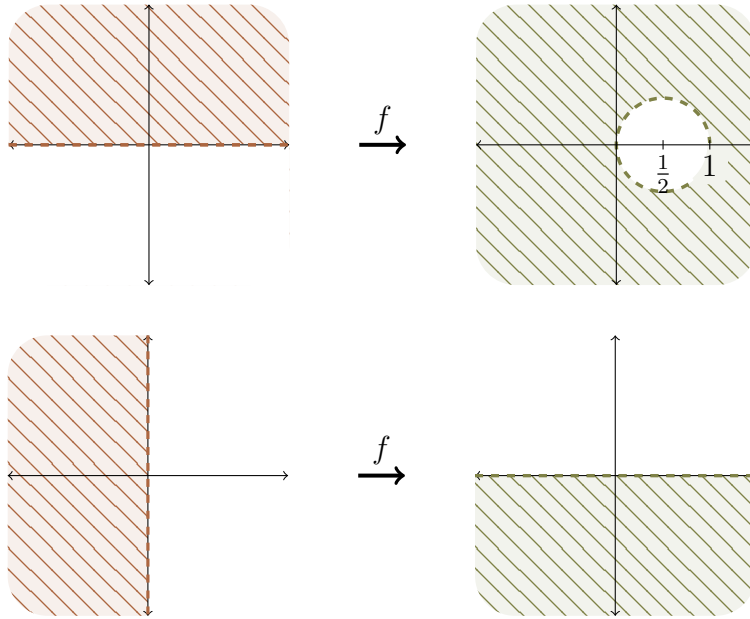
$$f(\Omega) = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \text{Im } z > 0 \wedge |z - (1 + i)| > 1 \wedge |z| > 1\}.$$



1) $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1 \wedge \text{Re } z < 0 \wedge \text{Im } z > 0\}$, $f(z) := \frac{z}{z-i}$,

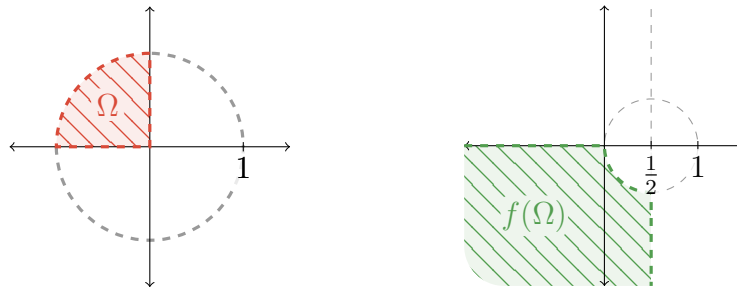
$$\begin{aligned} f(0) &= 0, \\ f(i) &= \infty, \\ f(-1) &= \frac{1-i}{2}, \\ f(1) &= \frac{1+i}{2}, \\ f(-i) &= \frac{1}{2}, \end{aligned}$$





and therefore

$$f(\Omega) = \left\{ z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z < \frac{1}{2} \wedge \operatorname{Im} z < 0 \wedge \left| z - \frac{1}{2} \right| > \frac{1}{2} \right\}.$$



EXERCISE 33.

Find a linear fractional function f such that

- a) $f(-1) = 0$, $f(i) = 2i$, $f(1+i) = 1-i$;
- b) $f(i) = \infty$, $f(6) = 0$, $f(\infty) = 3$;
- c) $f(0) = i$, $f(i) = 0$, $f(-1) = -i$.

Solution:

a) Let us search for the function f of the form

$$f(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{az + b}{cz + d} & \text{for } z \in \mathbb{C}, \\ \frac{a}{c} & \text{for } z = \infty, \end{cases}$$

where $a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{C}$, $ad \neq bc$.

From the given conditions we get the system of equations

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{-a+b}{-c+d} &= 0, \\ \frac{ai+b}{ci+d} &= 2i, \\ \frac{a(1+i)+b}{c(1+i)+d} &= 1-i.\end{aligned}$$

From the first equation follows that $a = b$. We can choose (think about why!) $a = b = 1$.

The remaining two equations then become

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{i+1}{ci+d} &= 2i, \\ \frac{2+i}{c(1+i)+d} &= 1-i,\end{aligned}$$

and therefore

$$\begin{aligned}i+1 &= -2c+2id, \\ 2+i &= 2c+d-di.\end{aligned}$$

Adding these two equations we get $3+2i = d+id$, and therefore

$$d = \frac{3+2i}{1+i} = \frac{5-i}{2}.$$

It remains to compute c :

$$2c = 2+i-d(1-i) = 2+i-\frac{1}{2}(4-6i) = 4i,$$

and therefore $c = 2i$.

Conclusion:

$$f(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{z+1}{2iz+\frac{5-i}{2}} = \frac{2z+2}{4iz+5-i}, & z \in \mathbb{C}, \\ \frac{1}{2i} = -\frac{i}{2}, & z = \infty. \end{cases}$$

b) Let

$$f(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{az+b}{cz+d} & \text{for } z \in \mathbb{C}, \\ \frac{a}{c} & \text{for } z = \infty. \end{cases}.$$

From the condition

$$f(\infty) = \frac{a}{c} = 3$$

it follows that we can choose $a = 3$ and $c = 1$. And the rest is easy:

$$f(6) = \frac{6a + b}{6z + d} = 0 \Rightarrow b = -6a = -18,$$

$$f(i) = \infty \Rightarrow ci + d = 0 \Rightarrow d = -ci = -i.$$

Summary:

$$f(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{3z - 18}{z - i}, & z \in \mathbb{C}, \\ 3, & z = \infty. \end{cases}$$

c) Let

$$f(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{az + b}{cz + d} & \text{for } z \in \mathbb{C}, \\ \frac{a}{c} & \text{for } z = \infty. \end{cases}.$$

Analyzing the conditions we get

$$f(0) = \frac{b}{d} = i \Rightarrow \text{we can choose } b = 1, d = -i,$$

$$f(i) = \frac{ai + b}{ci + d} = 0 \Rightarrow ai + b = 0 \Rightarrow ai + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow a = i,$$

$$f(-1) = \frac{-a + b}{-c + d} = -i \Rightarrow -a + b = -i(-c + d) \Rightarrow c = -1 - 2i,$$

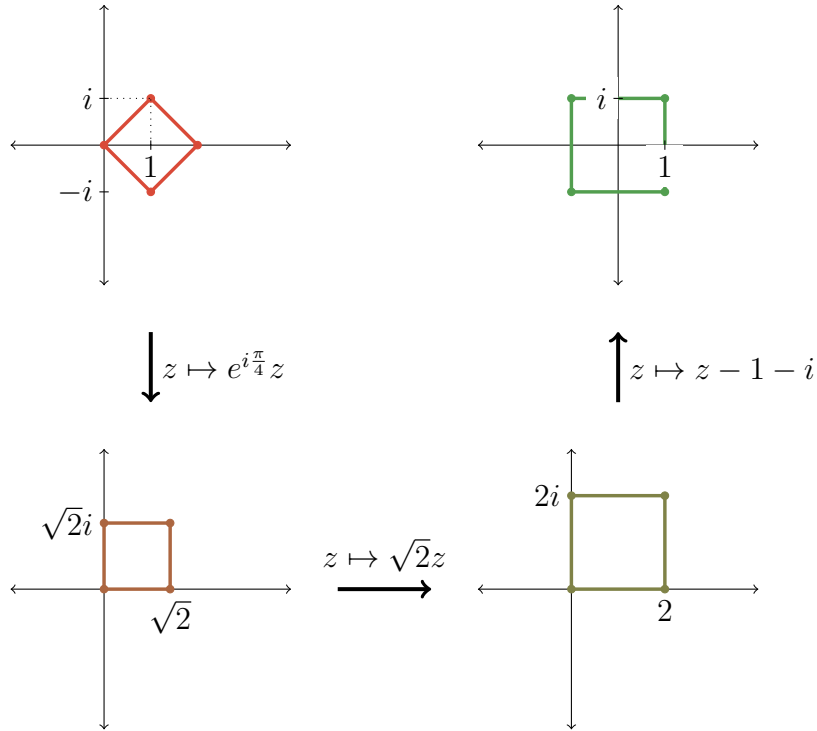
and therefore

$$f(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{iz + 1}{(-1 - 2i)z - i}, & z \in \mathbb{C}, \\ \frac{i}{-1 - 2i} = -\frac{2}{5} - \frac{i}{5}, & z = \infty. \end{cases}$$

EXERCISE 34.

Find the linear function, which maps the square with the vertices $0, 1 - i, 2, 1 + i$ onto the square with the vertices $1 + i, -1 + i, -1 - i, 1 - i$.

Solution:



Composing the functions $z \mapsto e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}}$, $z \mapsto \sqrt{2}z$ and $z \mapsto z - 1 - i$ we get

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= \left(\sqrt{2} \left(e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}} z \right) \right) - 1 - i = \\ &= (1 + i)z - 1 - i, \end{aligned}$$

that is

$$\underline{f(z) = (1 + i)(z - 1)}.$$

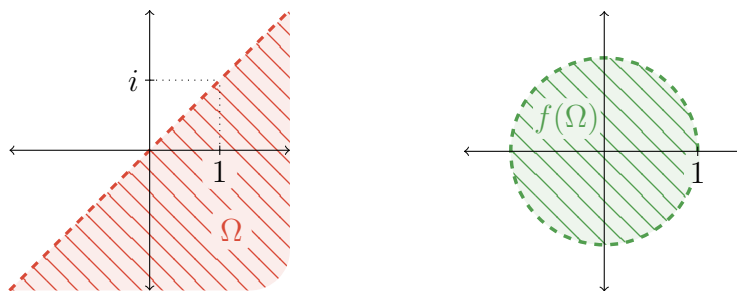
EXERCISE 35.

Let

$$\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z > \operatorname{Im} z\}.$$

Find the linear fractional function f , such that $f(\Omega) = U(0, 1)$.

Solution:

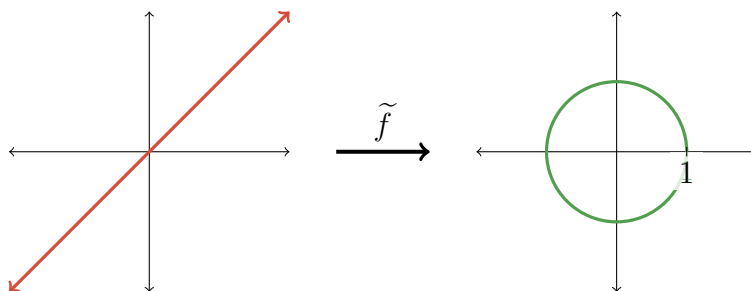


We start with finding the linear fractional function

$$\tilde{f}(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{az + b}{cz + d} & \text{for } z \in \mathbb{C}, \\ \frac{a}{c} & \text{for } z = \infty, \end{cases}$$

such that $\tilde{f}(0) = -1$, $\tilde{f}(1+i) = i$ and $\tilde{f}(\infty) = 1$.

Then



and $\tilde{f}(\Omega)$ is either $U(0,1)$ (then we would set $f := \tilde{f}$), or $\tilde{f}(\Omega) = \mathbb{C}_\infty \setminus \overline{U(0,1)}$ (then we would choose $f := \frac{1}{\tilde{f}}$).

Solving the system of equations

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{b}{d} &= -1, \\ \frac{a(1+i) + b}{c(1+i) + d} &= i, \\ \frac{a}{c} &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

we get

$$\tilde{f}(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{z - 1 + i}{z + 1 - i}, & z \in \mathbb{C}, \\ 1, & z = \infty, \end{cases}$$

and because

$$|\tilde{f}(1)| = \left| \frac{i}{2-i} \right| = \left| \frac{-1+2i}{5} \right| = \frac{1}{5}\sqrt{5} < 1,$$

we pick $f := \tilde{f}$, that is

$$f(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{z - 1 + i}{z + 1 - i} & \text{for } z \in \mathbb{C}, \\ 1 & \text{for } z = \infty. \end{cases}$$

EXERCISE 36.

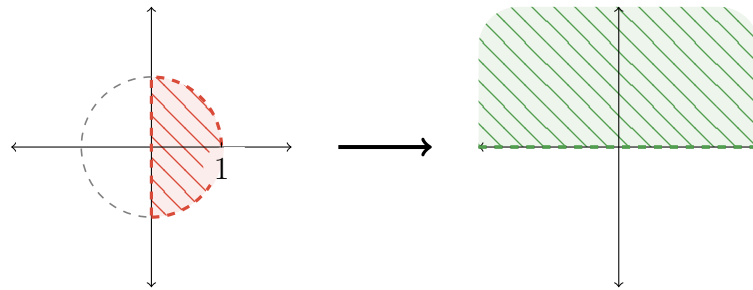
Find a conformal mapping, which maps the domain

$$\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1 \wedge \operatorname{Re} z > 0\}$$

onto the domain

$$\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Im} z > 0\}.$$

Solution:

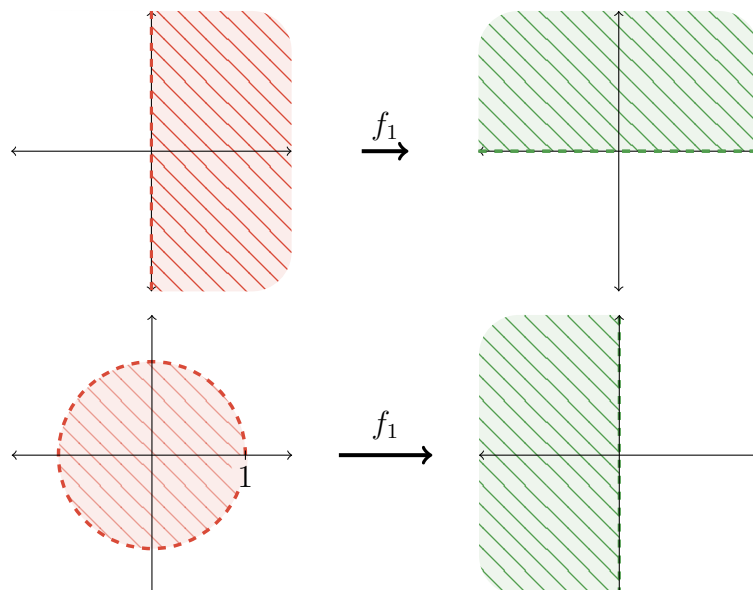


Let us consider the linear fractional function f_1 such that $f_1(i) = \infty$ and $f_1(-i) = 0$. Then the images of the circle $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| = 1\}$ and the line $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z = 0\}$ (by f_1) are clearly lines with the intersection at 0 with the “angle” $\frac{\pi}{2}$. We can choose for example

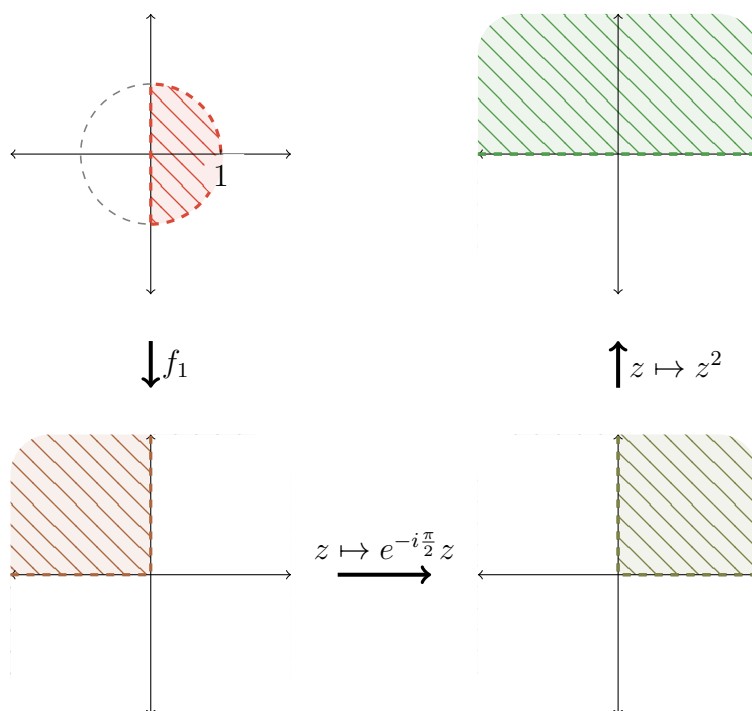
$$f_1(z) := \begin{cases} \frac{z + i}{z - i}, & z \in \mathbb{C}, \\ 1, & z = \infty. \end{cases}$$

Then

$$f_1(0) = -1, \quad f_1(i) = \infty, \quad f_1(-i) = 0 \quad \text{a} \quad f_1(1) = i,$$



and therefore



Summary: one of the functions with the required properties is the function defined on Ω

$$\underline{f(z)} := \left(e^{-i\frac{\pi}{2}} \cdot \frac{z+i}{z-i} \right)^2 = \left(-i \frac{z+i}{z-i} \right)^2 = \underline{- \left(\frac{z+i}{z-i} \right)^2}.$$

EXERCISE 37.

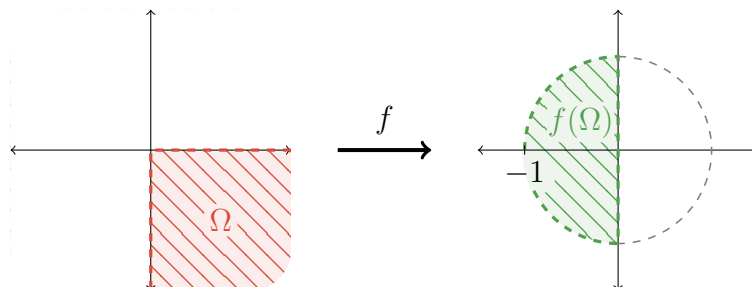
Let

$$\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z > 0 \wedge \operatorname{Im} z < 0\}.$$

Find the linear fractional function f such that

$$f(\Omega) = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1 \wedge \operatorname{Re} z < 0\}.$$

Solution:



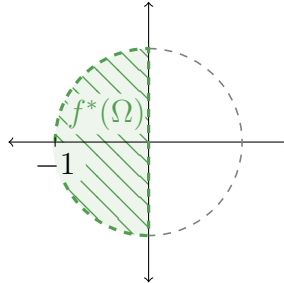
We firstly find the linear fractional function f^* such that

$$\begin{aligned} f^*(0) &= i, \\ f^*(\infty) &= -i, \\ f^*(-1) &= \infty, \end{aligned}$$

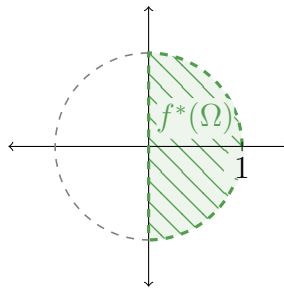
that is the function

$$f^*(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{-iz + i}{z + 1}, & z \in \mathbb{C}, \\ -i, & z = \infty. \end{cases}$$

Then clearly either



(then we would define $f := f^*$), or



(which would lead us to the definition $f := -f^*$).

Because $f^*(i) = \frac{1+i}{i+1} = 1$ (the first possibility is realized), we choose

$$f(z) := f^*(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{-iz + i}{z + 1}, & z \in \mathbb{C}, \\ -i, & z = \infty. \end{cases}$$

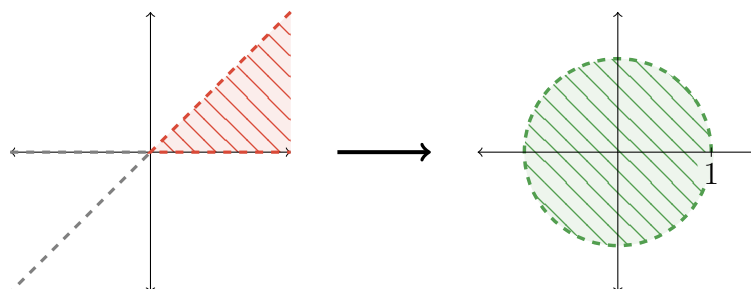
EXERCISE 38.

Find the conformal mapping which maps the domain

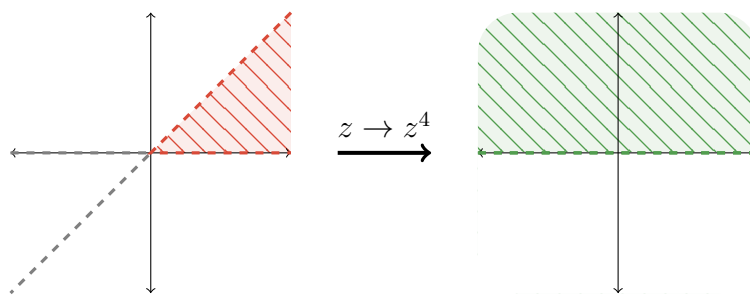
$$\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z > \operatorname{Im} z > 0\}$$

onto $U(0, 1)$.

Solution:



Let us first consider the mapping $z \mapsto z^4$.



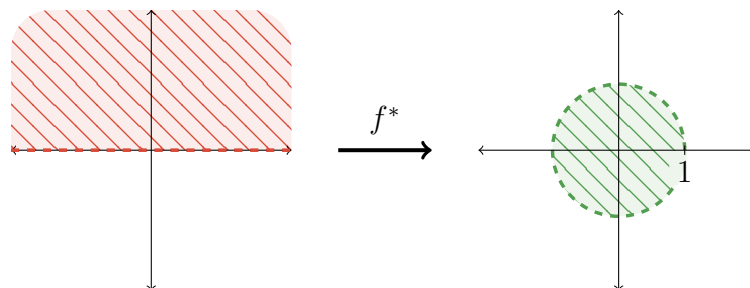
Then we find the linear fractional function f^* such that

$$\begin{aligned} f^*(-1) &= -1, \\ f^*(0) &= i, \\ f^*(1) &= 1, \end{aligned}$$

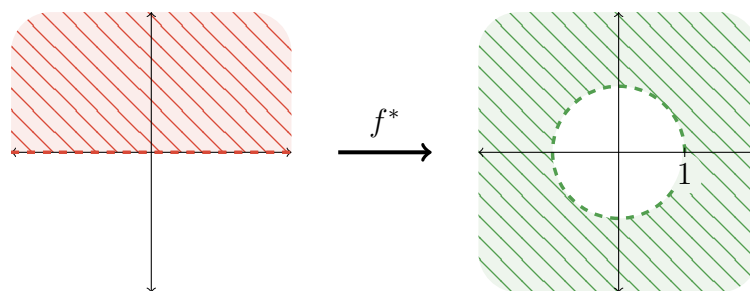
that is

$$f^*(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{z+i}{iz+1}, & z \in \mathbb{C}, \\ \frac{1}{i} = -i, & z = \infty. \end{cases}$$

Clearly either



(in which case we would (for $z \in \Omega$) define $f(z) := f^*(z^4)$), or³



(then we would define $f(z) := \frac{1}{f^*(z^4)}$ in Ω).

Because $f^*(i) = \infty$, the second case arose. We choose (for $z \in \Omega$)

$$\underline{f(z) := \frac{1}{f^*(z^4)} = \frac{iz^4 + 1}{z^4 + i}.$$

³For the right-hand-side image we need to imagine that $\infty = f^*(i)$.

EXERCISE 39.

Find the images of the lines parallel to the real and imaginary axes by the mapping $f(z) := \frac{1}{z}$ (consider the lines together with the point ∞).

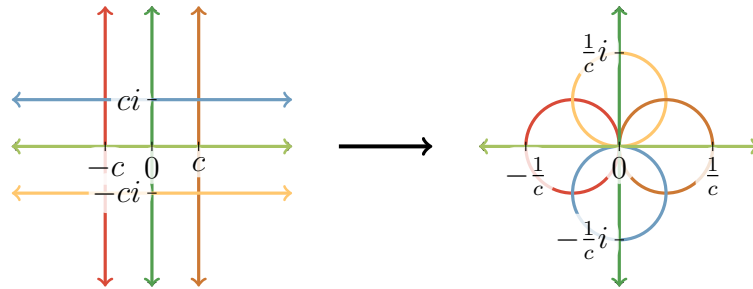
Solution:

For $0 < c \in \mathbb{R}$ we have that

$$\begin{array}{ll} f(0) = \infty, & f(\infty) = 0, \\ f(i) = -i, & f(c) = \frac{1}{c}, \\ f(-i) = i, & f(-c) = -\frac{1}{c}, \\ f(1) = 1, & f(ci) = -\frac{1}{c}i, \\ f(-1) = -1, & f(-ci) = \frac{1}{c}i, \end{array}$$

and therefore also

$$\begin{array}{l} \underline{\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z = 0\} \cup \{\infty\} \rightarrow \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z = 0\} \cup \{\infty\}}, \\ \underline{\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Im} z = 0\} \cup \{\infty\} \rightarrow \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Im} z = 0\} \cup \{\infty\}}, \\ \\ \underline{\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z = c\} \cup \{\infty\} \rightarrow \left\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \left|z - \frac{1}{2c}\right| = \frac{1}{2c}\right\}}, \\ \underline{\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Im} z = c\} \cup \{\infty\} \rightarrow \left\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \left|z + \frac{1}{2c}i\right| = \frac{1}{2c}\right\}}, \\ \\ \underline{\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z = -c\} \cup \{\infty\} \rightarrow \left\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \left|z + \frac{1}{2c}\right| = \frac{1}{2c}\right\}}, \\ \underline{\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Im} z = -c\} \cup \{\infty\} \rightarrow \left\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \left|z - \frac{1}{2c}i\right| = \frac{1}{2c}\right\}}. \end{array}$$



EXERCISE 40.

Find the images of the sets

$$M_\alpha = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \arg z = \alpha\} \text{ and } N_r = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| = r\},$$

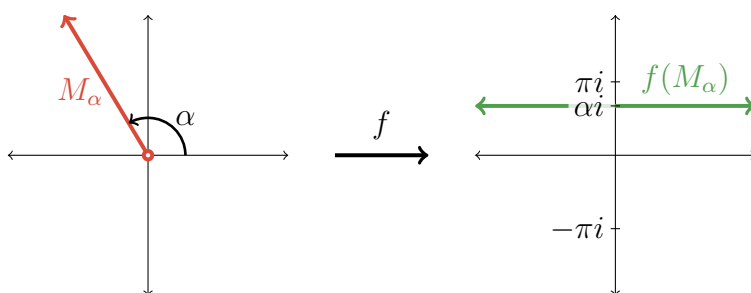
where $\alpha \in (-\pi, \pi)$ and $r \in \mathbb{R}^+$, by the mapping $f(z) := \ln z$.

Solution:

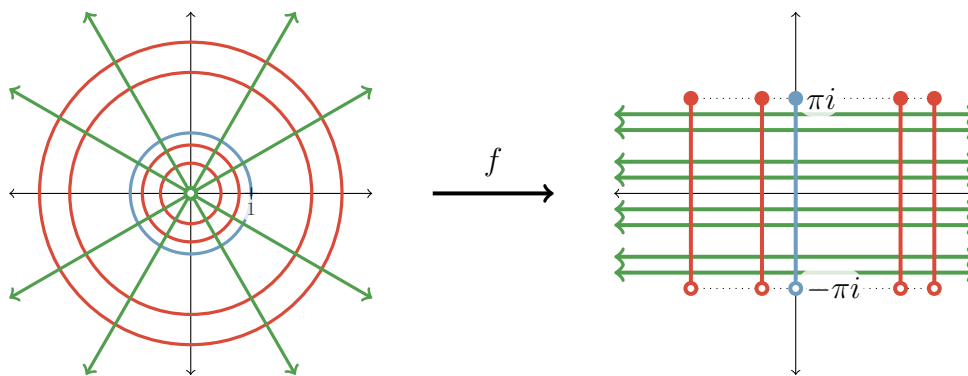
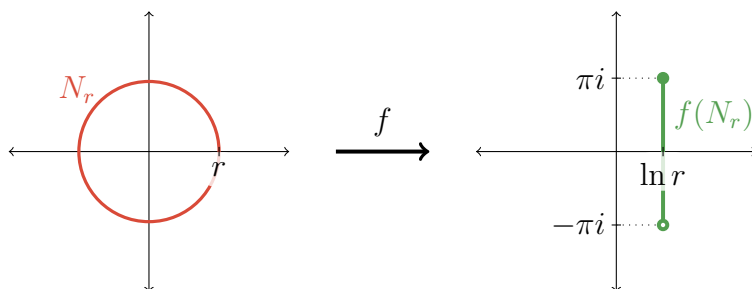
$$\ln z = \ln |z| + i \arg z,$$

and therefore

$$f(M_\alpha) = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Im} z = \alpha\},$$



$$f(N_r) = \{\ln r + ik : k \in (-\pi, \pi)\}.$$



EXERCISE 41.

Compute

$$\int_{\gamma} |z| dz,$$

where

$$\gamma(t) := \begin{cases} 3e^{it}, & t \in \langle 0, \frac{\pi}{2} \rangle, \\ i(3 + \frac{\pi}{2} - t), & t \in \langle \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2} + 3 \rangle, \\ t - \frac{\pi}{2} - 3, & t \in \langle \frac{\pi}{2} + 3, \frac{\pi}{2} + 6 \rangle. \end{cases}$$

Solution:

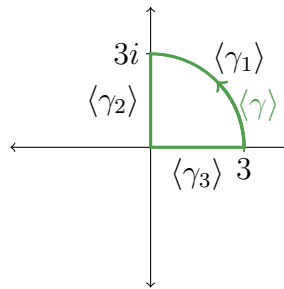
Let us choose

$$\gamma_1(t) := 3e^{it}, \quad t \in \langle 0, \frac{\pi}{2} \rangle,$$

$$\gamma_2(t) := ti, \quad i \in \langle 0, 3 \rangle,$$

$$\gamma_3(t) := t, \quad i \in \langle 0, 3 \rangle.$$

Then



and

$$\gamma_1'(t) = 3ie^{it},$$

$$\gamma_2'(t) = i,$$

$$\gamma_3'(t) = 1,$$

and therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\gamma} |z| dz &= \int_{\gamma_1} |z| dz - \int_{\gamma_2} |z| dz + \int_{\gamma_3} |z| dz = \\ &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} 3 \cdot 3ie^{it} dt - \int_0^3 ti dt + \int_0^3 t dt = \\ &= 9i \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (\cos t + i \sin t) dt + (1 - i) \int_0^3 t dt = \\ &= 9i[\sin t]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} + 9[\cos t]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} + (1 - i) \left[\frac{t^2}{2} \right]_0^3 = \\ &= 9i - 9 + \frac{9}{2}(1 - i) = \\ &= \underline{\underline{-\frac{9}{2} + \frac{9}{2}i}}. \end{aligned}$$

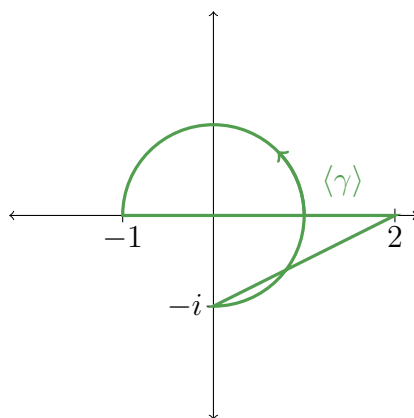
EXERCISE 42.

Compute

$$\int_{\gamma} z^3 dz,$$

where

$$\gamma(t) := \begin{cases} e^{it}, & t \in \langle -\frac{\pi}{2}, \pi \rangle, \\ \frac{3}{\pi}t - 4, & t \in \langle \pi, 2\pi \rangle, \\ -\frac{2+i}{\pi}t + 6 + 2i, & t \in \langle 2\pi, 3\pi \rangle. \end{cases}$$

Solution:

It is enough to apply Cauchy's theorem.

$$\underline{\int_{\gamma} z^3 dz = 0,}$$

because $f(z) := z^3$ is a holomorphic function on the simply connected domain \mathbb{C} and γ is piecewise smooth closed curve in \mathbb{C} .**EXERCISE 43.**

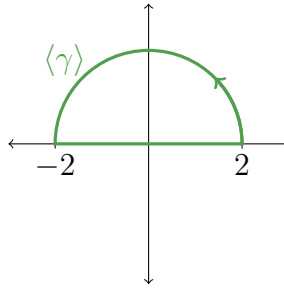
Compute

$$\int_{\gamma} |z| \bar{z} dz,$$

where γ is a simple, closed, piecewise smooth and positively oriented curve such that $\langle \gamma \rangle$ is the boundary of the set

$$\{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 2 \wedge \text{Im } z > 0\}.$$

Solution:



Let us define the curves

$$\begin{aligned}\gamma_1(t) &:= 2e^{it}, \quad t \in \langle 0, \pi \rangle, \\ \gamma_2(t) &:= t, \quad t \in \langle -2, 2 \rangle.\end{aligned}$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned}\gamma_1'(t) &= 2ie^{it}, \\ \gamma_2'(t) &= 1,\end{aligned}$$

and therefore

$$\begin{aligned}\int_{\gamma} |z| \bar{z} dz &= \int_{\gamma_1} |z| \bar{z} dz + \int_{\gamma_2} |z| \bar{z} dz = \\ &= \int_0^{\pi} 2 \cdot 2e^{-it} \cdot 2ie^{it} dt + \underbrace{\int_{-2}^2 |t| t dt}_{=0} = \\ &= 8i \int_0^{\pi} 1 dt = \underline{8\pi i}.\end{aligned}$$

EXERCISE 44.

Using the Cauchy's integral formulas calculate the given integrals⁴

a)

$$\int_k \frac{z^2 + i}{z} dz, \quad \text{where } k = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z - 2i| = 1\};$$

b)

$$\int_k \frac{\sin z}{z + i} dz, \quad \text{where } k = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z + i| = 1\};$$

⁴Convention. By the symbol $\int_k f(z) dz$, where $k \subset \mathbb{C}$, we mean $\int_{\gamma} f(z) dz$, where γ is a simple, closed, piecewise smooth and positively oriented curve such that $\langle \gamma \rangle = k$.

c)

$$\int_k \frac{\sin z}{z^2 - 7z + 10} dz, \text{ where } k = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| = 3\};$$

d)

$$\int_k \frac{\sin z}{(z - 2i)^3} dz, \text{ where } k = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| = 3\};$$

e)

$$\int_k \frac{\cos z}{z^2 - \pi^2} dz, \text{ where } k = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| = 4\};$$

f)

$$\int_k \frac{e^{\frac{1}{z}}}{(z^2 - 4)^2} dz, \text{ where } k = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z - 2| = 1\};$$

g)

$$\int_\gamma \frac{e^z \cos(\pi z)}{z^2 + 2z} dz, \text{ where } \gamma(t) := \frac{3}{2}e^{it}, t \in \langle 0, 2\pi \rangle;$$

h)

$$\int_\gamma \frac{dz}{(z^2 - 1)^3}, \text{ where } \gamma(t) := \frac{-2 + e^{-4\pi it}}{2}, t \in \langle 0, 4 \rangle;$$

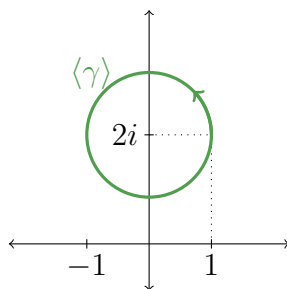
i)

$$\int_\gamma \frac{dz}{(1 - z)(z + 2)(z - i)^2},$$

where γ is a simple, closed, piecewise smooth and positively oriented curve such that $-2 \in \text{int } \gamma$, $i \in \text{int } \gamma$, $1 \in \text{ext } \gamma$.

Solution:

a)



The function “ $\frac{z^2+i}{z}$ ” is holomorphic on a simply connected domain

$$\Omega := \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \text{Im } z > 0\}$$

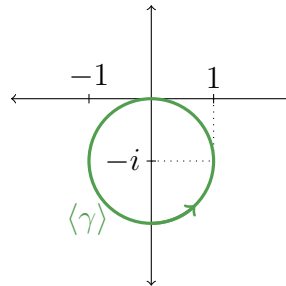
and $k = \langle \gamma \rangle \subset \Omega$, and therefore it follows from the Cauchy’s theorem that

$$\int_k \frac{z^2 + i}{z} dz = \int_\gamma \frac{z^2 + i}{z} dz = 0.$$

But we were supposed to use the Cauchy's integral formulas. Which we can do for example as

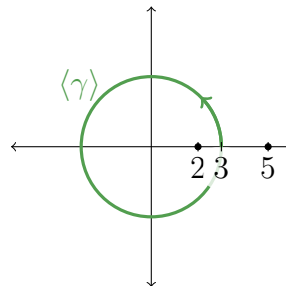
$$\int_k \frac{z^2 + i}{z} dz = \int_\gamma \frac{\frac{z^2+i}{z}(z-2i)}{z-2i} dz = 2\pi i \left[\frac{z^2+i}{z}(z-2i) \right]_{z=2i} = 0.$$

b)



$$\begin{aligned} \int_k \frac{\sin z}{z+i} dz &= \int_\gamma \frac{\sin z}{z-(-i)} dz = \\ &= 2\pi i [\sin z]_{z=-i} = \\ &= 2\pi i \frac{e^{i(-i)} - e^{-i(-i)}}{2i} = \\ &= \pi(e - e^{-1}) = \underline{2\pi \sinh 1}. \end{aligned}$$

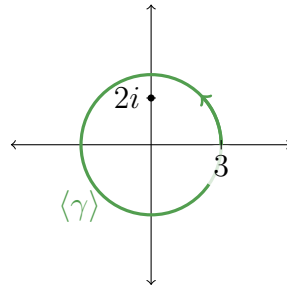
c)



$z^2 - 7z + 10 = (z - 5)(z - 2)$, and therefore

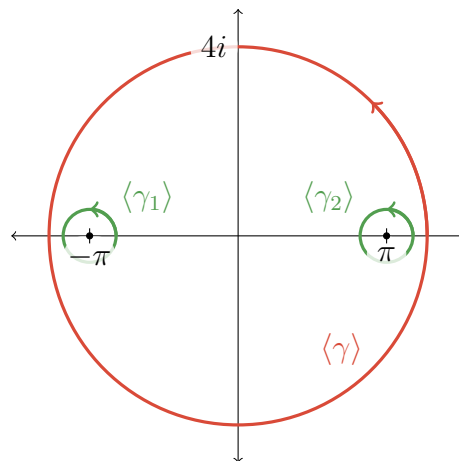
$$\begin{aligned} \int_k \frac{\sin z}{z^2 - 7z + 10} dz &= \int_\gamma \frac{\frac{\sin z}{z-5}}{z-2} dz = \\ &= 2\pi i \left[\frac{\sin z}{z-5} \right]_{z=2} = \\ &= 2\pi i \frac{\sin 2}{-3} = \underline{-\left(\frac{2}{3}\pi \sin 2\right) i}. \end{aligned}$$

d)



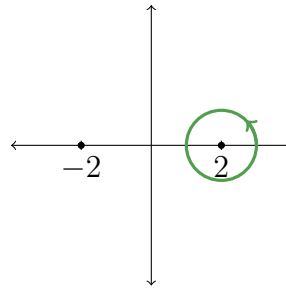
$$\begin{aligned} \int_k \frac{\sin z}{(z-2i)^3} dz &= \frac{2\pi i}{2!} [(\sin z)'']_{z=2i} = \\ &= \pi i [-\sin z]_{z=2i} = \\ &= -\pi i \frac{e^{-2} - e^2}{2i} = \underline{\pi \sinh 2}. \end{aligned}$$

e)



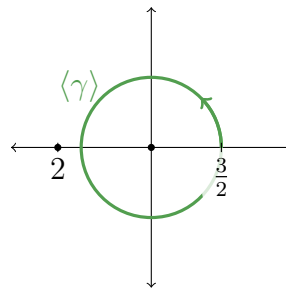
$$\begin{aligned} \int_k \frac{\cos z}{z^2 - \pi^2} dz &= \int_{\gamma_1} \frac{\frac{\cos z}{z-\pi}}{z - (-\pi)} dz + \int_{\gamma_2} \frac{\frac{\cos z}{z+\pi}}{z - \pi} dz = \\ &= 2\pi i \left(\left[\frac{\cos z}{z-\pi} \right]_{z=-\pi} + \left[\frac{\cos z}{z+\pi} \right]_{z=\pi} \right) = \\ &= 2\pi i \left(\frac{-1}{-2\pi} + \frac{-1}{2\pi} \right) = \underline{0}. \end{aligned}$$

f)



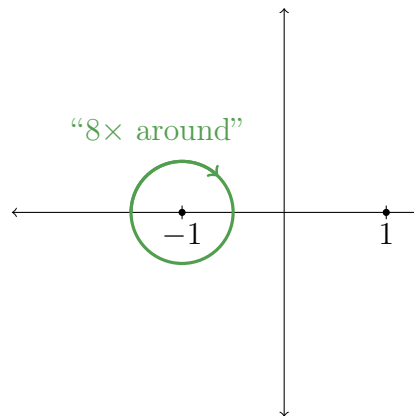
$$\begin{aligned}
 \int_k \frac{e^{\frac{1}{z}}}{(z^2 - 4)^2} dz &= \int_k \frac{\frac{e^{\frac{1}{z}}}{(z+2)^2}}{(z-2)^2} dz = \\
 &= 2\pi i \left[\left(\frac{e^{\frac{1}{z}}}{(z+2)^2} \right)' \right]_{z=2} = \\
 &= 2\pi i \left[\frac{-\frac{1}{z^2} e^{\frac{1}{z}} (z+2) - e^{\frac{1}{z}} 2}{(z+2)^3} \right]_{z=2} = \\
 &= 2\pi i \frac{\sqrt{e} \left(-\frac{1}{4} \cdot 4 - 2 \right)}{16 \cdot 4} = \underline{\underline{-\frac{3\pi\sqrt{e}}{32} i}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

g)



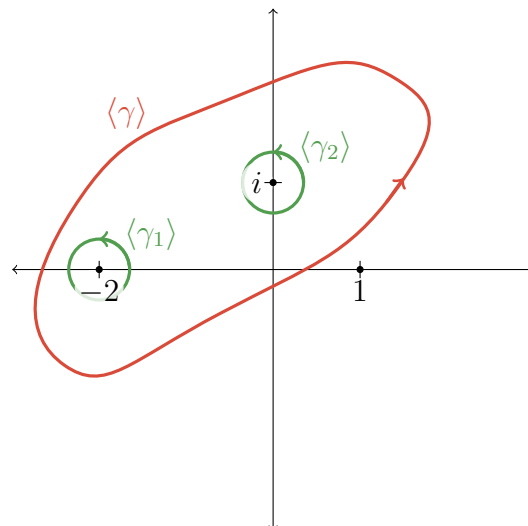
$$\begin{aligned}
 \int_{\gamma} \frac{e^z \cos(\pi z)}{z^2 + 2z} dz &= \int_{\gamma} \frac{\frac{e^z \cos(\pi z)}{z+2}}{z-0} dz = \\
 &= 2\pi i \left[\frac{e^z \cos(\pi z)}{z+2} \right]_{z=0} = \\
 &= 2\pi i \frac{1}{2} = \underline{\underline{\pi i}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

h)



$$\begin{aligned}
 \int_{\gamma} \frac{dz}{(z^2 - 1)^3} &= \int_{\gamma} \frac{1}{(z-1)^3} dz = \\
 &= -8 \cdot \frac{2\pi i}{2!} \left[\left(\frac{1}{(z-1)^3} \right)'' \right]_{z=-1} = \\
 &= -8\pi i \left[-3 \left(\frac{1}{(z-1)^4} \right)' \right]_{z=-1} = \\
 &= -8 \cdot 12\pi i \left[\frac{1}{(z-1)^5} \right]_{z=-1} = \underline{3\pi i}.
 \end{aligned}$$

i)



$$\begin{aligned}
\int_{\gamma} \frac{dz}{(1-z)(z+2)(z-i)^2} &= \int_{\gamma_1} \frac{dz}{(1-z)(z+2)(z-i)^2} + \int_{\gamma_2} \frac{dz}{(1-z)(z+2)(z-i)^2} = \\
&= \int_{\gamma_1} \frac{\frac{1}{(1-z)(z-i)^2}}{z+2} dz + \int_{\gamma_2} \frac{\frac{1}{(1-z)(z+2)}}{(z-i)^2} dz = \\
&= 2\pi i \left(\left[\frac{1}{(1-z)(z-i)^2} \right]_{z=-2} + \left[\left(\frac{1}{(1-z)(z+2)} \right)' \right]_{z=i} \right) = \\
&= 2\pi i \left(\frac{1}{3(-2-i)^2} + \left[\left(\frac{1}{-z^2-z+2} \right)' \right]_{z=i} \right) = \\
&= 2\pi i \left(\frac{1}{3(3+4i)} + \left[\frac{2z+1}{(-z^2-z+2)^2} \right]_{z=i} \right) = \\
&= 2\pi i \left(\frac{3-4i}{75} + \frac{1+2i}{(3-i)^2} \right) = 2\pi i \left(\frac{3-4i}{75} + \frac{(1+2i)(8+6i)}{100} \right) = \\
&= 2\pi i \left(\frac{3}{75} - \frac{4}{100} - \frac{4}{75}i + \frac{22}{100}i \right) = 2\pi i \frac{-\frac{8}{3} + 11}{50} i = \underline{\underline{-\frac{1}{3}\pi}}.
\end{aligned}$$

EXERCISE 45.

Compute

a) $\int_0^{1+i} e^z dz;$

c) $\int_0^i z^2 \sin z dz;$

b) $\int_0^{1+i} z^3 dz;$

d) $\int_0^i z \sin z dz.$

Solution:

a)

$$\begin{aligned}
\underline{\int_0^{1+i} e^z dz} &= [e^z]_0^{1+i} = e^1(\cos 1 + i \sin 1) - 1 = \\
&= \underline{\underline{e \cos 1 - 1 + i(\sin 1)e}}.
\end{aligned}$$

b)

$$\underline{\int_0^{1+i} z^3 dz} = \left[\frac{z^4}{4} \right]_0^{1+i} = \frac{1}{4}(2i)^2 = \underline{\underline{-1}}.$$

c)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int_0^i z^2 \sin z \, dz &= \int_0^i \underbrace{z^2}_{=:u} \underbrace{\sin z}_{=:v'} \, dz = \\
 &= [-z^2 \cos z]_0^i + \int_0^i \underbrace{2z}_{=:u} \underbrace{\cos z}_{=:v'} \, dz = \\
 &= \cos i + [2z \sin z]_0^i - 2 \int_0^i \sin z \, dz = \\
 &= \cos i + 2i \sin i + 2[\cos z]_0^i = \\
 &= \frac{e^{-1} + e^1}{2} + 2i \frac{e^{-1} - e^1}{2i} + 2 \frac{e^{-1} + e^1}{2} - 2 = \\
 &= \underline{3 \cosh 1 - 2 \sinh 1 - 2}
 \end{aligned}$$

(twice we used integration by parts).

d)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int_0^i z \sin z \, dz &= [-z \cos z]_0^i + [\sin z]_0^i = \\
 &= -i \cos i + \sin i = \\
 &= -i \cosh 1 + i \sinh 1 = \\
 &= i(\sinh 1 - \cosh 1) = \underline{-\frac{1}{e}i}
 \end{aligned}$$

(we again integrated by parts).

EXERCISE 46.

Decide if the given series converges

a) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{i^n}{n2^n}$;

b) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n}{3^n} (1+i)^n$;

c) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-i)^n}{3n-17}$.

Solution:

a) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{i^n}{n2^n}$ converges absolutely, because

$$\sqrt[n]{\left| \frac{i^n}{n2^n} \right|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt[n]{n} 2} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} < 1.$$

b) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n}{3^n} (1+i)^n$ converges absolutely, because

$$\sqrt[n]{\left| \frac{n}{3^n} (1+i)^n \right|} = \frac{\sqrt[n]{n}}{3} \sqrt{2} \rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3} < 1.$$

c) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-i)^n}{3n-17}$ converges conditionally, because the series

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \operatorname{Re} \left(\frac{(-i)^n}{3n-17} \right) \quad \text{i} \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \operatorname{Im} \left(\frac{(-i)^n}{3n-17} \right)$$

converges (it is enough to realize that

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-i)^n}{3n-17} = \frac{-i}{3 \cdot 1 - 17} + \frac{-1}{3 \cdot 2 - 17} + \frac{i}{3 \cdot 3 - 17} + \frac{1}{3 \cdot 4 - 17} + \frac{-i}{3 \cdot 5 - 17} + \dots,$$

and to use the Leibniz criterion on the series, and the easy observation that from the convergence of the series $a_1 + a_2 + a_3 + \dots$ follows the convergence of the series $0 + a_1 + 0 + a_2 + 0 + a_3 + \dots$), and furthermore

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left| \frac{(-i)^n}{3n-17} \right| = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left| \frac{1}{3n-17} \right| = \infty$$

(see the integral criterion).

EXERCISE 47.

Find the domain of convergence of a given series (that is find all $z \in \mathbb{C}$, for which the given series converges).

a) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2} \left(\frac{z+1}{z-1} \right)^n;$

b) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{z^n}{n!} + \frac{n^2}{z^n} \right).$

Solution:

a) For $z = 1$ the series clearly diverges. For $z \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{1\}$ we have that

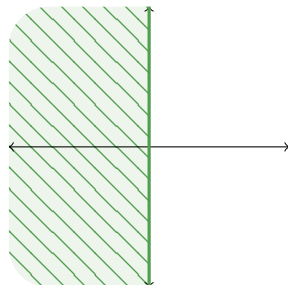
$$\sqrt[n]{\left| \frac{1}{n^2} \left(\frac{z+1}{z-1} \right)^n \right|} = \frac{1}{(\sqrt[n]{n})^2} \cdot \left| \frac{z+1}{z-1} \right| \rightarrow \left| \frac{z+1}{z-1} \right|,$$

and therefore the given series converges absolutely for every $z \in \mathbb{C}$ such that $\left| \frac{z+1}{z-1} \right| < 1$, and diverges for every $z \in \mathbb{C}$ for which $\left| \frac{z+1}{z-1} \right| > 1$.

If $\left| \frac{z+1}{z-1} \right| = 1$, we have $\left| \frac{1}{n^2} \left(\frac{z+1}{z-1} \right)^n \right| = \frac{1}{n^2}$, and therefore the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2} \left(\frac{z+1}{z-1} \right)^n$ converges absolutely.

Summary: the given series converges (absolutely) for every

$$\underline{z \in \left\{ z \in \mathbb{C} : \left| \frac{z+1}{z-1} \right| \leq 1 \right\} = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z \leq 0\}}.$$



b) Because for every $z \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$

$$\left| \frac{\frac{z^{n+1}}{(n+1)!}}{\frac{z^n}{n!}} \right| = \frac{|z|}{n+1} \rightarrow 0 < 1,$$

the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n!}$ converges absolutely in \mathbb{C} . Because for every $z \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$

$$\sqrt[n]{\left| \frac{n^2}{z^n} \right|} = \frac{(\sqrt[n]{n})^2}{|z|} \rightarrow \frac{1}{|z|},$$

the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n^2}{z^n}$ converges absolutely for $|z| > 1$ and diverges for $|z| < 1$. If $|z| = 1$ we have

$$\left| \frac{n^2}{z^n} \right| = n^2 \rightarrow \infty \neq 0,$$

and therefore the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n^2}{z^n}$ diverges.

Let us now define

$$s_n(z) := \sum_{k=1}^n \left(\frac{z^k}{k!} + \frac{k^2}{z^k} \right),$$

$$s_n^*(z) := \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{z^k}{k!},$$

$$s_n^{**}(z) := \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{k^2}{z^k}.$$

Then for every $z \in \mathbb{C}$ and $n \in \mathbb{N}$ we have that

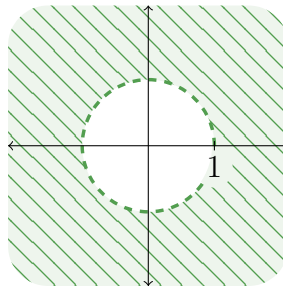
$$s_n(z) = s_n^*(z) + s_n^{**}(z),$$

$$s_n^{**} = s_n(z) - s_n^*(z),$$

and furthermore (we already know that) $\lim s_n^*(z) \in \mathbb{C}$ for every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, and therefore for every $z \in \mathbb{C}$ we have that

$$\lim s_n(z) \in \mathbb{C} \Leftrightarrow \lim s_n^{**}(z) \in \mathbb{C}.$$

Summary: the given series converges (absolutely) on the set $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| > 1\}$.



EXERCISE 48.

Find the radius of convergence R of the given power series

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|---|---|
| a) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n^{2011}}$; | e) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n^n}{n!} z^n$; |
| b) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^n (z-1)^n$; | f) $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (\cos(in)) z^n$; |
| c) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{3^n (z-1)^n}{\sqrt{(3n-2)2^n}}$; | g) $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n^2 - n - 2) z^n$; |
| d) $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(z+1+i)^n}{3^n (n-i)}$; | h) $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{(n+8)!}$. |

Solution:

a)

$$\sqrt[n]{\frac{1}{n^{2011}}} = \frac{1}{(\sqrt[n]{n})^{2011}} \rightarrow 1,$$

and therefore

$$\underline{R = 1.}$$

b)

$$\sqrt[n]{n^n} = n \rightarrow \infty,$$

and therefore

$$\underline{R = \frac{1}{\infty} = 0.}$$

c) Because

$$\sqrt[n]{\frac{3^n}{\sqrt{(3n-2)2^n}}} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\sqrt[n]{3n-2}}} \rightarrow \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}$$

(it is enough to realize that for $n \geq 3$ we have that $1 \leq \sqrt[n]{3n-2} \leq \sqrt[n]{n} \cdot \sqrt[n]{n} \rightarrow 1$), and therefore

$$\underline{R = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3}.}$$

d)

$$\left| \frac{\frac{1}{3^{n+1}(n+1-i)}}{\frac{1}{3^n(n-i)}} \right| = \frac{1}{3} \left| \frac{n-i}{n+1-i} \right| = \frac{1}{3} \left| \frac{1-\frac{i}{n}}{1+\frac{1-i}{n}} \right| \rightarrow \frac{1}{3},$$

and therefore

$$\underline{R = 3}.$$

e)

$$\frac{\frac{(n+1)^{n+1}}{(n+1)!}}{\frac{n^n}{n!}} = \frac{1}{n+1} \frac{(n+1)^n(n+1)}{n^n} = \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n \rightarrow e,$$

and therefore

$$\underline{R = \frac{1}{e}}.$$

f)

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{\cos(i(n+1))}{\cos(in)} \right| &= \left| \frac{e^{i(i(n+1))} + e^{-i(i(n+1))}}{e^{iin} + e^{-iin}} \right| = \\ &= \frac{e^{-(n+1)} + e^{n+1}}{e^{-n} + e^n} \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{e^n}}{\frac{1}{e^n}} = \\ &= \frac{\frac{1}{e^n e^{n+1}} + e}{\frac{1}{e^n} + 1} \rightarrow e, \end{aligned}$$

and therefore

$$\underline{R = \frac{1}{e}}.$$

g)

$$\left| \frac{(n+1)^2 - (n+1) - 2}{n^2 - n - 2} \right| \rightarrow 1,$$

and therefore

$$\underline{R = 1}.$$

h)

$$\frac{\frac{1}{(n+9)!}}{\frac{1}{(n+8)!}} = \frac{1}{n+9} \rightarrow 0,$$

and therefore

$$\underline{R = \infty}.$$

EXERCISE 49.

Find the sum of the power series in the disk of convergence

a) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n z^n;$

b) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n};$

$$c) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^{2n+1}}{2n+1};$$

$$e) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n^2 - n - 2)z^n.$$

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

Solution:

a) $\sqrt[n]{n} \rightarrow 1$, and therefore the radius of convergence of a given series is 1.

For every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $|z| < 1$ we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} nz^n &= z \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} nz^{n-1} = z \left(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n \frac{z^n}{n} \right)' = \\ &= z \left(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} z^n \right)' = z \left(\frac{z}{1-z} \right)' = \\ &= z \frac{1-z+z}{(1-z)^2} = \frac{z}{(1-z)^2}. \end{aligned}$$

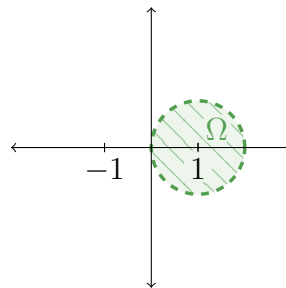
b) $\sqrt[n]{\frac{1}{n}} \rightarrow 1$, therefore the radius of convergence is 1.

Let us define the function $f(z) := \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n}$. Then for every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $|z| < 1$ we have that

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

From this, because

$$\begin{aligned} |z| < 1 &\Rightarrow 1-z \in \Omega := \{w \in \mathbb{C} : |w-1| < 1\}, \\ \ln' w &= \frac{1}{w} \text{ v } \Omega, \end{aligned}$$



there is a $c \in \mathbb{C}$ such that for each $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $|z| < 1$ we have that

$$f(z) = -\ln(1-z) + c.$$

Furthermore $f(0) = -\ln 1 + c = 0$, and therefore $c = 0$.

Summary: for each $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $|z| < 1$ we have that

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n} = f(z) = \underline{-\ln(1-z)}.$$

c)

$$\left| \frac{\frac{1}{2n+3}}{\frac{1}{2n+1}} \right| \rightarrow 1,$$

and therefore the radius of convergence is 1.

Let us define $f(z) := \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^{2n+1}}{2n+1}$. Then for every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $|z| < 1$ we have that

$$\begin{aligned} f'(z) &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} z^{2n} = \frac{1}{1-z^2} = \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \frac{-1}{z-1} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{z+1}. \end{aligned}$$

From that it follows that there is $c \in \mathbb{C}$, such that for each $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $|z| < 1$ we have that

$$f(z) = -\frac{1}{2} \ln(1-z) + \frac{1}{2} \ln(1+z) + c.$$

And because $0 = f(0) = c$ for each $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $|z| < 1$, we have that

$$\underline{\underline{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^{2n+1}}{2n+1} = -\frac{1}{2} \ln(1-z) + \frac{1}{2} \ln(1+z).}}$$

d) $\sqrt[n]{\frac{1}{n+1}} \rightarrow 1$, and therefore the radius of convergence is 1.

Let $f(z) := \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} \frac{z^{n+1}}{n+1}$. Then for $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $|z| < 1$, we have that

$$\begin{aligned} f'(z) &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} z^n = - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-z)^n = \\ &= \frac{z+1-1}{1+z}. \end{aligned}$$

From that, it follows that there is a $c \in \mathbb{C}$ such that

$$f(z) = z - \ln(1+z) + c,$$

and because $0 = f(0) = c$ we have

$$\underline{\underline{\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} \frac{z^n}{n+1} = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{z} f(z) = 1 - \frac{\ln(1+z)}{z}, & 0 < |z| < 1, \\ 0, & z = 0. \end{cases}}}$$

e)

$$\left| \frac{(n+1)^2 - (n+1) - 2}{n^2 - n - 2} \right| \rightarrow 1,$$

and therefore the radius of convergence is 1.

For every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $|z| < 1$, we have that

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n^2 - n - 2)z^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n^2 z^n - \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n z^n - 2 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} z^n$$

(it is enough to realize that each of the series is absolutely convergent).

Furthermore ($|z| < 1$):

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$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} z^n = \frac{1}{1-z},$$

•

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} nz^n &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} nz^n = z \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} nz^{n-1} = \\ &= z \left(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n \frac{z^n}{n} \right)' = z \left(\frac{z}{1-z} \right)' = \\ &= z \frac{1-z+z}{(1-z)^2} = \frac{z}{(1-z)^2}, \end{aligned}$$

•

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n^2 z^n &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^2 z^n = z \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^2 z^{n-1} = \\ &= z \left(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^2 \frac{z^n}{n} \right)' = z \left(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n z^n \right)' = \\ &= z \left(\frac{z}{(1-z)^2} \right)' = z \frac{(1-z)^2 + z \cdot 2(1-z)}{(1-z)^4} = \\ &= z \frac{z+1}{(1-z)^3}, \end{aligned}$$

and therefore for every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $|z| < 1$, we have that

$$\underline{\underline{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n^2 - n - 2)z^n = \frac{z^2 + z - z(1-z) - 2(1-z)^2}{(1-z)^3} = \frac{2-4z}{(z-1)^3}}}$$

EXERCISE 50.

Find the sum of the given series

$$\text{a) } \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n2^n}; \qquad \text{b) } \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n2^n}.$$

Solution:

Let us consider the function

$$f(z) := \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n2^n}.$$

Because $\frac{1}{\sqrt[n]{n2^n}} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}$, the power series in the definition of the function f has the radius of convergence 2. Therefore for every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $0 < |z| < 2$, we have that

$$\begin{aligned} f'(z) &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{z^{n-1}}{2^n} = \frac{1}{z} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{z}{2}\right)^n = \\ &= \frac{1}{z} \frac{\frac{z}{2}}{1 - \frac{z}{2}} = \frac{1}{2-z}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore there is a $c \in \mathbb{C}$ for which $f(z) = -\ln(2-z) + c$. And because $f(0) = 0 = -\ln 2 + c$, for every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $|z| < 2$ we have that

$$f(z) = -\ln(2-z) + \ln 2.$$

a)

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n2^n} = f(1) = \underline{\ln 2},$$

b)

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n2^n} = f(-1) = \underline{-\ln 3 + \ln 2 = \ln \frac{2}{3}}.$$

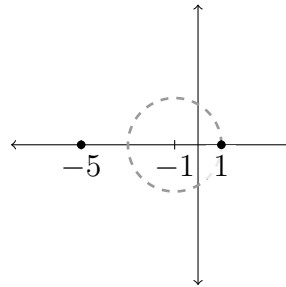
EXERCISE 51.

Find the Taylor series of the function f centered at z_0 and find its radius of convergence, where

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| a) $f(z) := \frac{z+1}{z^2+4z-5}$, $z_0 = -1$; | e) $f(z) := \sin(3z^2 + 2)$, $z_0 = 0$; |
| b) $f(z) := \frac{z}{z^2+i}$, $z_0 = 0$; | f) $f(z) := \frac{1}{(z-1)^3}$, $z_0 = 3$; |
| c) $f(z) := \ln \frac{1+z}{1-z}$, $z_0 = 0$; | |
| d) $f(z) := e^{3z-2}$, $z_0 = 1$; | g) $f(z) := \sin^2 z$, $z_0 = 0$. |

Solution:

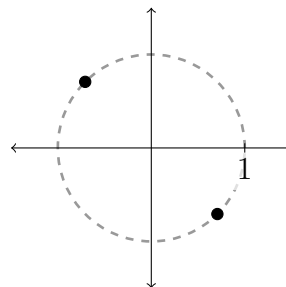
a) $f(z) = \frac{2}{3} \frac{1}{z+5} + \frac{1}{3} \frac{1}{z-1}$,



and therefore the radius of convergence is 2 and for every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $|z + 1| < 2$, it holds, that

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{f(z)} &= \frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{4 + z + 1} + \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{-2 + z + 1} = \frac{2}{12} \cdot \frac{1}{1 + \frac{z+1}{4}} - \frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{1}{1 - \frac{z+1}{2}} = \\ &= \frac{1}{6} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{(z+1)^n}{4^n} - \frac{1}{6} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(z+1)^n}{2^n} = \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{(-1)^n}{6 \cdot 4^n} - \frac{1}{6 \cdot 2^n} \right) (z+1)^n = \\ &= \underline{\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n - 2^n}{6 \cdot 4^n} (z+1)^n}. \end{aligned}$$

b) $z^2 + i = 0$ if and only if $z = \pm \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}i \right)$,

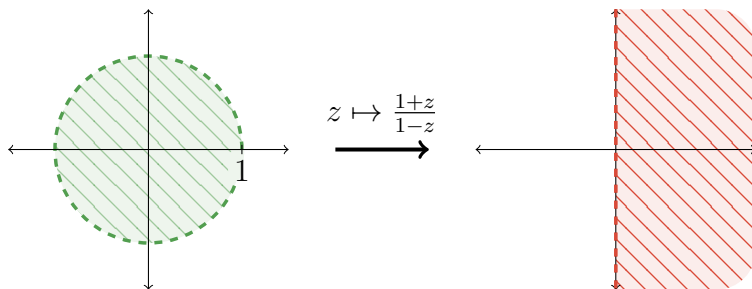


and therefore the sought Taylor series has the radius of convergence 1.

For every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $|z| < 1$, we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{f(z)} &= \frac{z}{i} \cdot \frac{1}{1 + \frac{z^2}{i}} = \frac{z}{i} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \left(\frac{z^2}{i} \right)^n = \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{i^{n+1}} z^{2n+1} = \\ &= \underline{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} i^{n-1} z^{2n+1}}. \end{aligned}$$

c) Because clearly



($0 \mapsto 0$, $1 \mapsto \infty$, $-1 \mapsto 0$), the radius of convergence is 1. For every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $|z| < 1$ we have that

$$\begin{aligned} f'(z) &= \frac{1-z}{1+z} \cdot \frac{1-z+(1+z)}{(1-z)^2} = \frac{2}{(1+z)(1-z)} = \\ &= \frac{2}{1-z^2} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 2z^{2n}, \end{aligned}$$

and therefore there is a $c \in \mathbb{C}$ such that

$$f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 2 \frac{z^{2n+1}}{2n+1} + c.$$

And because $f(0) = 0 = c$, for every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $|z| < 1$ we have that

$$\underline{f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 2 \frac{z^{2n+1}}{2n+1}.$$

d) Clearly the radius of convergence is ∞ . We know that for every $z \in \mathbb{C}$ we have $e^z = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n!}$, and therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{f(z)} &= e^{3z-2} = e^{3(z-1)+1} = e e^{3(z-1)} = \\ &= \underline{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{e \cdot 3^n}{n!} (z-1)^n.} \end{aligned}$$

e) The radius of convergence is ∞ and for any $z \in \mathbb{C}$ we have that

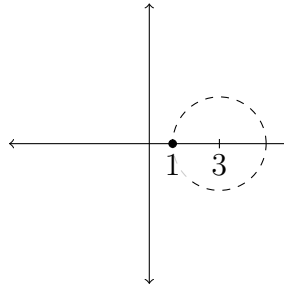
$$\begin{aligned} \sin z &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{z^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!}, \\ \cos z &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{z^{2n}}{(2n)!}. \end{aligned}$$

From this it follows that for every $z \in \mathbb{C}$ we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{f(z)} &= \sin(3z^2) \cos 2 + \cos(3z^2) \sin 2 = \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \underbrace{\cos 2 \cdot (-1)^n \frac{3^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!}}_{=:\alpha_n} z^{4n+2} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \underbrace{\sin 2 \cdot (-1)^n \frac{3^{2n}}{(2n)!}}_{=:\beta_n} z^{4n} = \\ &= \underline{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^{2n}}, \end{aligned}$$

where $a_{2k} := \beta_k$ and $a_{2k+1} := \alpha_k$ for every $k \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$.

f)



Clearly the radius of convergence is 2. For every $z \in U(3, 2)$ we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{z-1} &= \frac{1}{2+z-3} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{1+\frac{z-3}{2}} = \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{z-3}{2} \right)^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{2^{n+1}} (z-3)^n \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\left(\frac{1}{z-1} \right)'' = \left(-\frac{1}{(z-1)^2} \right)' = 2 \frac{1}{(z-1)^3}.$$

From this it easily follows, that for each $z \in U(3, 2)$ we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{f(z)} &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{z-1} \right)'' = \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{2^{n+1}} n(z-3)^{n-1} \right)' = \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{2^{n+1}} n(n-1)(z-3)^{n-2} = \\ &= \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{2^{n+2}} n(n-1)(z-3)^{n-2} = \\ &= \underline{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{2^{n+4}} (n+2)(n+1)(z-3)^n}. \end{aligned}$$

g) The radius of convergence is ∞ and for any $z \in \mathbb{C}$ we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{f(z)} &= \sin^2 z = \frac{1 - \cos(2z)}{2} = \\ &= \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{(2z)^{2n}}{(2n)!} = \\ &= \underline{\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} \frac{2^{2n-1}}{(2n)!} z^{2n}}. \end{aligned}$$

EXERCISE 52.

Find the domain of convergence of the given Laurent series (that is find all $z \in \mathbb{C}$, for which the given series converges).

a) $\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} 2^{-|n|} z^n;$

b) $\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{(z-i)^n}{n^2+1}.$

Solution:

a)

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} 2^{-|n|} z^n &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 2^{-n} z^n + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2^{-n} z^{-n} = \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n} z^n + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n} \frac{1}{z^n}. \end{aligned}$$

Because the power series $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n} z^n$ has the radius of convergence 2 (clearly $\sqrt[n]{\frac{1}{2^n}} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}$), the following implications hold:

$$|z| < 2 \Rightarrow \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n} z^n \text{ converges absolutely,}$$

$$|z| > 2 \Rightarrow \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n} z^n \text{ diverges.}$$

If $|z| = 2$, then $|\frac{1}{2^n} z^n| = 1 \rightarrow 1 \neq 0$, and therefore the series $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n} z^n$ diverges.

Let us now consider the regular part of the given series, that is the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n} \frac{1}{z^n}$. We

have found out that

$$\left| \frac{1}{z} \right| < 2 \quad (\text{tj. } |z| > \frac{1}{2}) \Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n} \frac{1}{z^n} \text{ converges absolutely,}$$

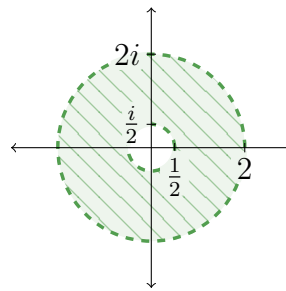
$$\left| \frac{1}{z} \right| > 2 \quad (\text{tj. } |z| < \frac{1}{2}) \Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n} \frac{1}{z^n} \text{ diverges,}$$

$$\left| \frac{1}{z} \right| = 2 \quad (\text{tj. } |z| = \frac{1}{2}) \Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n} \frac{1}{z^n} \text{ diverges.}$$

Conclusion: the given series converges (absolutely) for every

$$\underline{z \in P \left(0, \frac{1}{2}, 2 \right) = \left\{ z \in \mathbb{C} : \frac{1}{2} < |z| < 2 \right\}},$$

elsewhere it diverges.



b)

$$\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{(z-i)^n}{n^2+1} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2+1} (z-i)^n + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2+1} \frac{1}{(z-i)^n}.$$

Because

$$\frac{\frac{1}{(n+1)^2+1}}{\frac{1}{n^2+1}} \rightarrow 1,$$

we know that

$$|z-i| < 1 \Rightarrow \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2+1} (z-i)^n \text{ converges absolutely,}$$

$$|z-i| > 1 \Rightarrow \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2+1} (z-i)^n \text{ diverges.}$$

If $|z-i| = 1$, we have that

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left| \frac{(z-i)^n}{n^2+1} \right| = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2+1},$$

and therefore (see the integral criterion) the series $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(z-i)^n}{n^2+1}$ converges absolutely.

We have (also) found that

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{1}{z-i} \right| < 1 \text{ (tj. } |z-i| > 1) &\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2+1} \frac{1}{(z-i)^n} \text{ converges absolutely,} \\ \left| \frac{1}{z-i} \right| > 1 \text{ (tj. } |z-i| < 1) &\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2+1} \frac{1}{(z-i)^n} \text{ diverges,} \\ \left| \frac{1}{z-i} \right| = 1 \text{ (tj. } |z-i| = 1) &\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2+1} \frac{1}{(z-i)^n} \text{ converges absolutely.} \end{aligned}$$

Summary: the given series converges (absolutely) for every $z \in \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z-i| = 1\}$.
Elsewhere it diverges.

EXERCISE 53.

Find the Laurent series of the function f on the given annulus

- a) $f(z) := \frac{\cos z}{z^2}$, $0 < |z| < 1$; f) $f(z) := \frac{z}{(z^2+1)^2}$, $0 < |z-i| < 2$;
b) $f(z) := \frac{1}{z^2+1}$, $|z| > 1$; g) $f(z) := \frac{z-\sin z}{z^4}$, $0 < |z| < \infty$;
c) $f(z) := \frac{z^2+1}{z(z-i)}$, $\frac{1}{2} < |z-i| < 1$; h) $f(z) := \frac{z+2}{z^2-4z+3}$, $2 < |z-1| < \infty$;
d) $f(z) := \frac{1}{2z-5}$, $|z| > \frac{5}{2}$;
e) $f(z) := \frac{1}{z(z-2)}$, $1 < |z-2| < 2$; i) $f(z) := \frac{1}{z(z-3)^2}$, $1 < |z-1| < 2$.

Solution:

a) For every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $0 < |z| < 1$ we have that

$$\underline{f(z)} = \frac{\cos z}{z^2} = \frac{1}{z^2} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{z^{2n}}{(2n)!} = \underline{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{z^{2n-2}}{(2n)!}}.$$

(This holds even for every $z \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$.)

b) For every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $|z| > 1$ we have that

$$\underline{f(z)} = \frac{1}{z^2+1} = \frac{1}{z^2} \frac{1}{1+\frac{1}{z^2}} = \frac{1}{z^2} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{1}{z^2}\right)^n = \underline{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{z^{2n+2}}}.$$

c) For every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $\frac{1}{2} < |z-i| < 1$ we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{f(z)} &= \frac{z^2+1}{z(z-i)} = \frac{z+i}{z} = 1 + \frac{i}{z} = \\ &= 1 + \frac{i}{i+z-i} = 1 + \frac{1}{1+\frac{z-i}{i}} = \\ &= 1 + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{i^n} (z-i)^n = \\ &= \underline{1 + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} i^n (z-i)^n}. \end{aligned}$$

(This holds even for every $z \in \mathbb{C}$ such that $0 < |z-i| < 1$.)

d) For every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $|z| > \frac{5}{2}$ we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{f(z)} &= \frac{1}{2z-5} = \frac{1}{2z} \cdot \frac{1}{1-\frac{5}{2z}} = \frac{1}{2z} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{5}{2}\right)^n \frac{1}{z^n} = \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{5^n}{2^{n+1}} \frac{1}{z^{n+1}} = \\ &= \underline{\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{5^{n-1}}{2^n} \frac{1}{z^n}}. \end{aligned}$$

e) For every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $1 < |z-2| < 2$ we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{f(z)} &= \frac{1}{z(z-2)} = \frac{1}{z-2} \cdot \frac{1}{2+z-2} = \\ &= \frac{1}{z-2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{1+\frac{z-2}{2}} = \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{2^{n+1}} (z-2)^{n-1} = \\ &= \underline{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{2^{n+1}} (z-2)^{n-1}}. \end{aligned}$$

(This holds even for every $z \in \mathbb{C}$ such that $0 < |z-2| < 2$.)

f) Because for every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $0 < |z-i| < 2$ we have that

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

and furthermore

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{z+i} &= \frac{1}{2i+z-i} = \frac{1}{2i} \cdot \frac{1}{1+\frac{z-i}{2i}} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{1}{(2i)^{n+1}} (z-i)^n, \\ - \left(\frac{1}{z+i} \right)^2 &= \left(\frac{1}{z+i} \right)' = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{1}{(2i)^{n+1}} n (z-i)^{n-1} = \\ &= \underline{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{(2i)^{n+2}} (n+1)(z-i)^n}. \end{aligned}$$

For every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $0 < |z-i| < 2$ we have

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{f(z)} &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left((-1)^n \frac{1}{(2i)^{n+1}} + \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{(2i)^{n+2}} i(n+1) \right) (z-i)^{n-2} = \\ &= \underline{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{-i^{n+1}}{2^{n+1}} + \frac{i^{n+1}}{2^{n+2}} (n+1) \right) (z-i)^{n-2}}. \end{aligned}$$

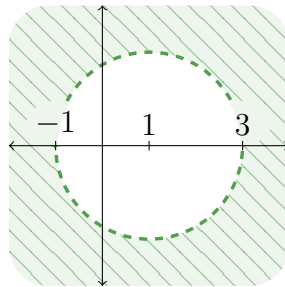
g) For every $z \in \mathbb{C}$ we have that

$$z - \sin z = z - \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{z^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} \frac{z^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!},$$

and therefore for every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $z \neq 0$ we have that

$$\underline{f(z) = \frac{z - \sin z}{z^4} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} \frac{z^{2n-3}}{(2n+1)!}.$$

h) For every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $2 < |z - 1| < \infty$ we have



$$f(z) = \frac{z+2}{z^2-4z+3} = \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{1-z} + \frac{5}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{z-3}.$$

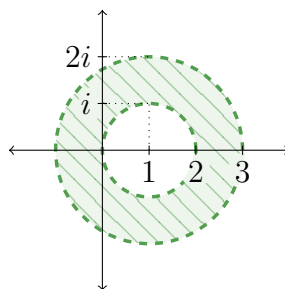
In addition

$$\frac{1}{z-3} = \frac{1}{-2+z-1} = \frac{1}{z-1} \cdot \frac{1}{1-\frac{2}{z-1}} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{2^n}{(z-1)^{n+1}},$$

and therefore for every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $2 < |z - 1|$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{f(z)} &= -\frac{3}{2} \frac{1}{z-1} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{5 \cdot 2^{n-2}}{(z-1)^n} = \\ &= \underline{\frac{1}{z-1} + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{5 \cdot 2^{n-2}}{(z-1)^n}.} \end{aligned}$$

i) Because for every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $1 < |z - 1| < 2$, we have that



$$f(z) = \frac{1}{z(z-3)^2} = \frac{1}{9} \cdot \frac{1}{z} + \frac{1}{9} \cdot \frac{1}{3-z} + \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{(z-3)^2},$$

and in addition

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{1}{z} &= \frac{1}{1+z-1} = \frac{1}{z-1} \cdot \frac{1}{1+\frac{1}{z-1}} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(z-1)^{n+1}} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{(z-1)^n}, \\ \frac{1}{z-3} &= \frac{1}{-2+z-1} = -\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{1-\frac{z-1}{2}} = -\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(z-1)^n}{2^{n+1}}, \\ \left(\frac{1}{z-3}\right)^2 &= -\left(\frac{1}{z-3}\right)' = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n(z-1)^{n-1}}{2^{n+1}} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n+1}{2^{n+2}}(z-1)^n,\end{aligned}$$

for every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $1 < |z-1| < 2$ we have that

$$\begin{aligned}f(z) &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{9} \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{(z-1)^n} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{9} \cdot \frac{1}{2^{n+1}} + \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{n+1}{2^{n+2}} \right) (z-1)^n = \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{9} \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{(z-1)^n} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{3n+5}{9 \cdot 2^{n+2}} (z-1)^n.\end{aligned}$$

EXERCISE 54.

Find the Laurent series of the function f on all “maximal annuli” centered at z_0 , on which the function f is holomorphic, where

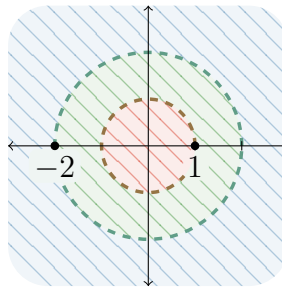
- a) $f(z) := \frac{z^2-z+3}{z^3-3z+2}$, $z_0 = 0$;
b) $f(z) := \frac{z+1}{z^2}$, $z_0 = 1+i$.

Solution:

a)

$$f(z) = \frac{z^2 - z + 3}{z^3 - 3z + 2} = \frac{z^2 - z + 3}{(z-1)^2(z+2)} = \frac{1}{z+2} + \frac{1}{(z-1)^2},$$

and because f is clearly holomorphic on $\mathbb{C} \setminus \{-2, 1\}$, we have precisely three “maximal annuli”:



- $\alpha)$ $P(0, 0, 1)$,
 $\beta)$ $P(0, 1, 2)$,
 $\gamma)$ $P(0, 2, \infty)$.

α) If $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $|z| < 1$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \underline{f(z)} &= \frac{1}{z+1} + \frac{1}{(z-1)^2} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{1+\frac{z}{2}} + \left(\frac{-1}{z-1}\right)' = \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{2^n} z^n + \left(\frac{1}{1-z}\right)' = \\
 &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{2^{n+1}} z^n + \left(\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} z^n\right)' = \\
 &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{2^{n+1}} z^n + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n(z^{n-1}) = \\
 &= \underline{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{(-1)^n}{2^{n+1}} + n + 1\right) z^n}.
 \end{aligned}$$

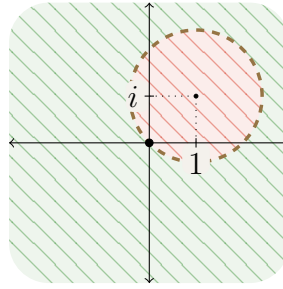
β) For every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $1 < |z| < 2$, we have that

$$\begin{aligned}
 \underline{f(z)} &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{2^{n+1}} z^n + \left(\frac{-1}{z} \frac{1}{1-\frac{1}{z}}\right)' = \\
 &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{2^{n+1}} z^n - \left(\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} z^{-n-1}\right)' = \\
 &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{2^{n+1}} z^n + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+1) \frac{1}{z^{n+2}} = \\
 &= \underline{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{2^{n+1}} z^n + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{n-1}{z^n}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

γ) For every $z \in \mathbb{C}$ such that $|z| > 2$ we have that

$$\begin{aligned}
 \underline{f(z)} &= \frac{1}{z} \frac{1}{1+\frac{z}{2}} + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{n-1}{z^n} = \\
 &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n \cdot 2^n}{z^{n+1}} + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{n-1}{z^n} = \\
 &= \underline{\frac{1}{z} + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(-2)^{n-1} + n - 1}{z^n}}.
 \end{aligned}$$

b) Because f is clearly holomorphic on $\mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$ and $|z_0 - 0| = \sqrt{2}$, we have precisely two “maximal anuli”:



$\alpha)$ $P(1 + i, 0, \sqrt{2})$,

$\beta)$ $P(1 + i, \sqrt{2}, \infty)$.

$\alpha)$ For $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $|z - 1 - i| < \sqrt{2}$, we have that

$$f(z) = \frac{z+1}{z^2} = \frac{1}{z} + \frac{1}{z^2}$$

and furthermore

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{z} &= \frac{1}{1+i+z-1-i} = \frac{1}{1+i} \cdot \frac{1}{1+\frac{z-1-i}{1+i}} = \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(1+i)^{n+1}} (z-1-i)^n, \\ \frac{1}{z^2} &= -\left(\frac{1}{z}\right)' = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{(1+i)^{n+1}} n (z-1-i)^{n-1}, \end{aligned}$$

and therefore

$$f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{(-1)^n}{(1+i)^{n+1}} + \frac{(-1)^{n+2}}{(1+i)^{n+2}} (n+1) \right) (z-1-i)^n.$$

$\beta)$ For every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $|z - 1 - i| > \sqrt{2}$ we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{z} &= \frac{1}{1+i+z-1-i} = \frac{1}{z-1-i} \cdot \frac{1}{1+\frac{1+i}{z-1-i}} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n (1+i)^n}{(z-1-i)^{n+1}}, \\ \frac{1}{z^2} &= -\left(\frac{1}{z}\right)' = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n (1+i)^n (n+1)}{(z-1-i)^{n+2}}, \end{aligned}$$

and therefore

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{z-1-i} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n (1+i)^n + (-1)^{n-1} (1+i)^{n-1} n}{(z-1-i)^{n+1}}.$$

EXERCISE 55.

Classify each of the isolated singularities of the function f , where

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| a) $f(z) := z^5 + 4z^3 - 2 + \frac{2}{z} + \frac{3}{z^2}$; | g) $f(z) := \frac{1-e^z}{2+e^z}$; |
| b) $f(z) := \frac{z^2-4}{z-2}$; | h) $f(z) := e^{\frac{1}{z^2}}$; |
| c) $f(z) := \frac{1}{z-z^3}$; | i) $f(z) := \frac{1}{(z-3)^2(2-\cos z)}$; |
| d) $f(z) := \frac{z^4}{z^4+1}$; | j) $f(z) := \frac{z}{\sin z}$; |
| e) $f(z) := \frac{e^z}{z^2+4}$; | k) $f(z) := z^2 \sin \frac{z}{z+1}$; |
| f) $f(z) := \frac{z^2+4}{e^z}$; | l) $f(z) := \frac{1-\cos z}{\sin^2 z}$. |

Solution:

- a) The function $f(z) = z^5 + 4z^3 - 2 + \frac{2}{z} + \frac{3}{z^2}$ has two isolated singularities: 0 and ∞ . Clearly, we have that

- 0 is a pole of the order 3 of f ,
- ∞ is a pole of the order 5 of f .

- b) The function $f(z) = \frac{z^2-4}{z-2}$ has two isolated singularities: 2 and ∞ .

- Because

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow 2} \frac{z^2 - 4}{z - 2} = \lim_{z \rightarrow 2} (z + 2) = 4,$$

2 is a removable singularity of f .

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$$\lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(z)}{z} = 1 \neq 0,$$

and therefore ∞ is a simple pole of f .

- c) The function $f(z) = \frac{1}{z - z^3} = \frac{1}{z(1 - z)(1 + z)}$ has four isolated singularities: 0, 1, -1 and ∞ .

- 0, 1 and -1 are simple poles of f .
- Because

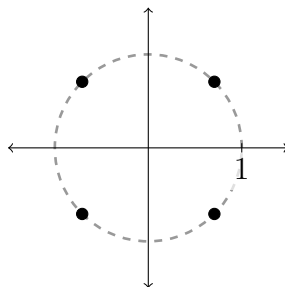
$$\lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} f(z) = \lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{z^3 \left(\frac{1}{z^2} - 1\right)} = \frac{1}{-\infty} = 0,$$

∞ is a removable singularity of f .

d) $f(z) = \frac{z^4}{z^4+1}$ and because

$$z^4 + 1 = 0 \Leftrightarrow z \in \left\{ \frac{1+i}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1-i}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-1-i}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-1+i}{\sqrt{2}} \right\},$$

the function f has five isolated singularities:



- $\frac{1+i}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1-i}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-1-i}{\sqrt{2}}$ and $\frac{-1+i}{\sqrt{2}}$ are simple poles of f
- and, because $\lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} f(z) = 1$, ∞ is a removable singularity of f .

e) The function $f(z) = \frac{e^z}{z^2+4}$ has three isolated singularities: $2i$, $-2i$ and ∞ .

- $2i$ and $-2i$ are simple poles of f .
- Because

$$\lim_{\substack{x \rightarrow \infty \\ x \in \mathbb{R}}} f(x) = \lim_{\substack{x \rightarrow \infty \\ x \in \mathbb{R}}} \frac{e^x}{x^2+4} \stackrel{\text{r.H.}}{=} \lim_{\substack{x \rightarrow \infty \\ x \in \mathbb{R}}} \frac{e^x}{2x} \stackrel{\text{r.H.}}{=} \lim_{\substack{x \rightarrow \infty \\ x \in \mathbb{R}}} \frac{e^x}{2} = \infty,$$

$$f(2n\pi i) = \frac{e^{2n\pi i}}{(2n\pi i)^2 + 4} = \frac{1}{-4n^2\pi^2 + 4} \rightarrow 0,$$

$\lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} f(z)$ does not exist, and therefore ∞ is an essential singularity of f .

f) The function $f(z) = \frac{z^2+4}{e^z}$ has only one isolated singularity, which is ∞ .

- Because

$$\lim_{\substack{x \rightarrow \infty \\ x \in \mathbb{R}}} f(x) = 0,$$

$$\lim_{\substack{x \rightarrow -\infty \\ x \in \mathbb{R}}} f(x) = \infty \cdot \infty = \infty,$$

the limit $\lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} f(z)$ does not exist. From this fact, it follows that ∞ is an essential singularity of f .

g) Because $f(z) = \frac{1-e^z}{2+e^z}$, and at the same time

$$2 + e^z = 0 \Leftrightarrow z = \text{Ln}(-2) = \ln 2 + (2k + 1)\pi i =: z_k, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z},$$

f has isolated singularities precisely in the points z_k .

- Furthermore

$$\begin{aligned} [(2 + e^z)']_{z=z_k} &= [e^z]_{z=z_k} = -2 \neq 0, \\ [1 - e^z]_{z=z_k} &= 3 \neq 0, \end{aligned}$$

and therefore $z_k = \ln 2 + (2k + 1)\pi i, k \in \mathbb{Z}$, are simple poles of f .

Be careful: ∞ is not an isolated singularity of f .

h) $f(z) = e^{\frac{1}{z^2}}$ and for every $z \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$ we have that

$$f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \frac{1}{z^{2n}}.$$

From this, it follows that

- 0 is an essential singularity of f ,
- ∞ is a removable singularity of f .

i) $f(z) = \frac{1}{(z-3)^2(2-\cos z)}$ and because

$$\begin{aligned} 2 = \cos z &= \frac{e^{iz} + e^{-iz}}{2} \Leftrightarrow 4 = e^{iz} + e^{-iz} \Leftrightarrow \\ \Leftrightarrow e^{2iz} - 4e^{iz} + 1 &= 0 \Leftrightarrow e^{iz} = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{16-4}}{2} = 2 \pm \sqrt{3} > 0 \Leftrightarrow \\ \Leftrightarrow iz = \text{Ln}(2 \pm \sqrt{3}) &= \ln(2 \pm \sqrt{3}) + 2k\pi i, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z} \Leftrightarrow \\ \Leftrightarrow z = z_k &:= 2k\pi - i \ln(2 \pm \sqrt{3}), \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}, \end{aligned}$$

the function f has isolated singularities in the points 3 and $z_k, k \in \mathbb{Z}$.

- Easily we can compute that

$$[(2 - \cos z)']_{z=z_k} = [\sin z]_{z=z_k} \neq 0,$$

and therefore f has in the points $z_k = 2k\pi - i \ln(2 \pm \sqrt{3})$, where $k \in \mathbb{Z}$, simple poles.

- It is clear that 3 is a pole of the order 2 of the function f .

(∞ is not an isolated singularity of f .)

j) The function $f(z) = \frac{z}{\sin z}$ has clearly isolated singularities in the roots of the function sinus.

Think through the fact that

- 0 is a removable singularity of f ,
- $k\pi$, where $k \in \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$, are simple poles of f .

(∞ is not an isolated singularity of f .)

k) The function $f(z) = z^2 \sin \frac{z}{z+1}$ has precisely two isolated singularities: -1 and ∞ .

- -1 is an essential singularity of f (because $\lim_{z \rightarrow -1} f(z)$ does not exist),
- ∞ is a pole of the order two of f (because $\lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(z)}{z^2} = \lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} \sin\left(\frac{z}{z+1}\right) = \sin 1 \neq 0$).

l) The function $f(z) = \frac{1-\cos z}{\sin^2 z}$ clearly has isolated singularities in the roots of the function sinus.

- Because⁵

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow 2k\pi} \frac{1 - \cos z}{\sin^2 z} \stackrel{\text{r.H.}}{=} \lim_{z \rightarrow 2k\pi} \frac{\sin z}{2 \sin z \cos z} = \frac{1}{2},$$

we have that the points $2k\pi$, where $k \in \mathbb{Z}$, are removable singularities of f .

- Because

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{z \rightarrow (2k+1)\pi} (z - (2k+1)\pi)^2 \cdot \frac{1 - \cos z}{\sin^2 z} &\stackrel{\text{r.H.}}{=} 2 \lim_{z \rightarrow (2k+1)\pi} \frac{2(z - (2k+1)\pi)}{2 \sin z \cos z} \stackrel{\text{r.H.}}{=} \\ &\stackrel{\text{r.H.}}{=} -2 \lim_{z \rightarrow (2k+1)\pi} \frac{1}{\cos z} = 2 \neq 0, \end{aligned}$$

the points $(2k+1)\pi$, where $k \in \mathbb{Z}$, are poles of the order 2 of the function f .

(∞ is not an isolated singularity of f .)

EXERCISE 56.

Prove the L'Hôpital's rule:

Let f and g be holomorphic, non-constant functions on some ring neighborhood of a point $z_0 \in \mathbb{C}$ and let $\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} f(z) = \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} g(z) = 0$.

Then we have that

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \frac{f(z)}{g(z)} = \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \frac{f'(z)}{g'(z)}.$$

Solution:

From the assumptions it follows that there are $p, q \in \mathbb{N}$, neighbourhood $U(z_0)$ of z_0 and functions f_1 and g_1 , which are holomorphic and **non-zero** on $U(z_0)$ such that for every $z \in U(z_0) \setminus \{z_0\}$ we have that

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= (z - z_0)^p f_1(z), \\ g(z) &= (z - z_0)^q g_1(z). \end{aligned}$$

⁵We are using L'Hôpital's rule proven in the following exercise.

Therefore

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \frac{f(z)}{g(z)} = \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} (z - z_0)^{p-q} \frac{f_1(z)}{g_1(z)} = \begin{cases} \infty, & p < q, \\ 0, & p > q, \\ \frac{f_1(z_0)}{g_1(z_0)}, & p = q, \end{cases}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \frac{f'(z)}{g'(z)} &= \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \frac{p(z - z_0)^{p-1} f_1(z) + (z - z_0)^p f_1'(z)}{q(z - z_0)^{q-1} g_1(z) + (z - z_0)^q g_1'(z)} = \\ &= \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} (z - z_0)^{p-q} \frac{p f_1(z) + (z - z_0) f_1'(z)}{q g_1(z) + (z - z_0) g_1'(z)} = \\ &= \begin{cases} \infty, & p < q, \\ 0, & p > q, \\ \frac{f_1(z_0)}{g_1(z_0)}, & p = q. \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

The theorem is proven.

EXERCISE 57.

Compute the residue of the function f in all of its isolated singularities, where

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|--------------------------------------|---|
| a) $f(z) := \frac{1}{z+z^3};$ | f) $f(z) := \tan z;$ |
| b) $f(z) := \frac{z^2}{(1+z)^3};$ | g) $f(z) := \frac{1}{\sin z};$ |
| c) $f(z) := \frac{1}{(z^2+1)^3};$ | h) $f(z) := \cotg^3 z;$ |
| d) $f(z) := \frac{z^3+1}{z-2};$ | i) $f(z) := \sin z \cdot \sin \frac{1}{z};$ |
| e) $f(z) := \frac{1}{z^6(z^2+1)^2};$ | j) $f(z) := \frac{\sin(\pi z)}{(z-1)^3}.$ |

Solution:

- a) The function $f(z) = \frac{1}{z+z^3} = \frac{1}{z(z-i)(z+i)}$ has clearly four isolated singularities: $0, i, -i$ and ∞ . Now we will use (as in several following exercises) the [1, Theorem 44, part (iii)]:

- $\underline{\text{res } f(0)} = \left[\frac{1}{1+3z^2} \right]_{z=0} = \underline{1},$
- $\underline{\text{res } f(i)} = \left[\frac{1}{1+3z^2} \right]_{z=i} = \frac{1}{1-3} = \underline{-\frac{1}{2}},$
- $\underline{\text{res } f(-i)} = \left[\frac{1}{1+3z^2} \right]_{z=-i} = \frac{1}{1-3} = \underline{-\frac{1}{2}}$

and [1, Theorem 44, part (v)]:

- $\underline{\text{res } f(\infty)} = -\left(1 - \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}\right) = \underline{0}.$

b) The function $f(z) = \frac{z^2}{(1+z)^3}$ clearly has two isolated singularities.

- -1 is a pole of the order three of f , and therefore

$$\underline{\operatorname{res} f(-1)} = \frac{1}{2} [(z^2)''']_{z=-1} = \underline{1}.$$

- $\underline{\operatorname{res} f(\infty)} = -1$.

c) The function $f(z) := \frac{1}{(z^2+1)^3}$ has three isolated singularities: poles of the order three at the points i and $-i$ and a removable singularity at ∞ .

- $$\begin{aligned} \underline{\operatorname{res} f(\pm i)} &= \frac{1}{2} \left[\left(\frac{1}{(z \pm i)^3} \right)'' \right]_{z=\pm i} = \frac{1}{2} \left[3 \cdot 4 \frac{1}{(z \pm i)^5} \right]_{z=\pm i} = \\ &= 6 \frac{1}{(\pm 2i)^5} = \underline{\mp \frac{3}{16}i}, \end{aligned}$$

- $\underline{\operatorname{res} f(\infty)} = 0$.

d) The function $f(z) = \frac{z^3+1}{z-2}$ has two isolated singularities: 2 (simple pole) and ∞ .

- $$\underline{\operatorname{res} f(2)} = \left[\frac{z^3+1}{1} \right]_{z=2} = \underline{9},$$

- $\underline{\operatorname{res} f(\infty)} = -9$.

e) Because $f(z) = \frac{1}{z^6(z^2+1)^2} = \frac{1}{z^6(z+i)^2(z-i)^2}$, the numbers $\pm i$ are poles of the order two of f , 0 is a pole of the order 6 of f and ∞ is a removable singularity of f .

- $$\begin{aligned} \underline{\operatorname{res} f(\pm i)} &= \left[\left(\frac{1}{z^6(z \pm i)^2} \right)' \right]_{z=\pm i} = \\ &= - \left[\frac{6z^5(z \pm i)^2 + z^6 \cdot 2(z \pm i)}{z^{12}(z \pm i)^4} \right]_{z=\pm i} = \\ &= \underline{\pm \frac{7}{4}i}. \end{aligned}$$

- Because $f(z) = 1 : (z^6 + 2z^8 + z^{10}) = \frac{1}{z^6} + \dots$,⁶ we have that $\underline{\operatorname{res} f(\infty)} = 0$,

- $\underline{\operatorname{res} f(0)} = -\frac{7}{4}i + \frac{7}{4}i - 0 = \underline{0}$.

f) The function $f(z) = \tan z = \frac{\sin z}{\cos z}$ has simple poles in the points $\frac{\pi}{2} + k\pi$, where $k \in \mathbb{Z}$, and

$$\underline{\operatorname{res} f\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + k\pi\right)} = \left[\frac{\sin z}{-\sin z} \right]_{z=\frac{\pi}{2}+k\pi} = \underline{-1}.$$

(∞ is not an isolated singularity of f .)

⁶In the Laurent series of f the coefficient of $\frac{1}{z}$ is equal to 0.

g) $f(z) = \frac{1}{\sin z}$ has simple poles in the points $k\pi$, where $k \in \mathbb{Z}$, and

$$\underline{\operatorname{res} f(k\pi)} = \left[\frac{1}{\cos z} \right]_{z=k\pi} = \underline{(-1)^k}.$$

h) $f(z) = \cotg^3 z = \frac{\cos^3 z}{\sin^3 z}$ has poles of the order three in the points $k\pi$, where $k \in \mathbb{Z}$, and

$$\frac{\cos z}{\sin z} = \left(1 - \frac{z^2}{2} + \frac{z^4}{24} - \dots \right) : \left(z - \frac{z^3}{6} + \frac{z^5}{120} - \dots \right) = \frac{1}{z} - \frac{z}{3} - \frac{z^3}{45} - \dots,$$

and therefore

$$\left(\frac{\cos z}{\sin z} \right)^3 = \left(\frac{1}{z} - \frac{z}{3} - \frac{z^3}{45} - \dots \right) \left(\frac{1}{z} - \frac{z}{3} - \frac{z^3}{45} - \dots \right) \left(\frac{1}{z} - \frac{z}{3} - \frac{z^3}{45} - \dots \right).$$

$\operatorname{res} f(0)$ is a “coefficient of $\frac{1}{z}$ ”, therefore

$$\operatorname{res} f(0) = 3 \left(-\frac{1}{3} \right) = -1.$$

Because the function f has a period π , that is $f(z) = f(z - k\pi)$, we have that

$$\underline{\operatorname{res} f(k\pi)} = \underline{\operatorname{res} f(0)} = \underline{-1 \text{ for every } k \in \mathbb{Z}}.$$

i) $f(z) = \sin z \cdot \sin \frac{1}{z}$ has an isolated singularity at 0 and at ∞ .

Because for every $z \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$ we have that

$$f(z) = \left(\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{z^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!} \right) \left(\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-1)^k \frac{1}{(2k+1)!} \cdot \frac{1}{z^{2k+1}} \right) = \dots,$$

we have that⁷

$$\underline{\operatorname{res} f(0)} = \underline{\operatorname{res} f(\infty)} = \underline{0}.$$

j) The function $f(z) = \frac{\sin(\pi z)}{(z-1)^3}$ has two isolated singularities: 1 and ∞ .

- Because 1 is a pole of the order two of f ,

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{\operatorname{res} f(1)} &= \lim_{z \rightarrow 1} \left(\frac{\sin(\pi z)}{(z-1)^3} (z-1)^2 \right)' = \lim_{z \rightarrow 1} \left(\frac{\sin(\pi z)}{z-1} \right)' = \\ &= \lim_{z \rightarrow 1} \frac{\pi \cos(\pi z)(z-1) - \sin(\pi z)}{(z-1)^2} \stackrel{\text{rH}}{=} \\ &\stackrel{\text{rH}}{=} \lim_{z \rightarrow 1} \frac{-\pi^2 \sin(\pi z)(z-1) + \pi \cos(\pi z) - \pi \cos(\pi z)}{2(z-1)} = \\ &= \lim_{z \rightarrow 1} \left(-\frac{\pi^2}{2} \sin(\pi z) \right) = \underline{0}. \end{aligned}$$

⁷The Laurent series of f has non-zero coefficients only for the “even powers” of z .

Other possible solution:

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= \frac{\sin(\pi z)}{(z-1)^3} = -\frac{\sin(\pi(z-1))}{(z-1)^3} = \\ &= -\frac{1}{(z-1)^3} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{\pi^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!} (z-1)^{2n+1} = \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} \frac{\pi^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!} (z-1)^{2n-2}. \end{aligned}$$

The just computed Laurent series of the function f has non-zero coefficients only for the “even powers” of $(z-1)$, and therefore $\underline{\text{res } f(1) = 0}$.

- $\underline{\text{res } f(\infty) = 0}$.

EXERCISE 58.

Using the residue theorem compute the integrals

a)

$$\int_{\gamma} \frac{\cos z}{z^3} dz, \quad \text{where } \gamma(t) := 3e^{it}, \quad t \in \langle 0, 2\pi \rangle;$$

b)

$$\int_{\gamma} \frac{1}{z+2} \cos \frac{1}{z} dz, \quad \text{where } \gamma(t) := 18e^{it}, \quad t \in \langle 0, 2\pi \rangle;$$

c)

$$\int_k \frac{z^3}{z^4 - 1} dz, \quad \text{where } k = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| = 2\};$$

d)

$$\int_k \frac{z^3}{z+1} e^{\frac{1}{z}} dz, \quad \text{where } k = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| = 2\};$$

e)

$$\int_{\gamma} z \sin \frac{z+1}{z-1} dz, \quad \text{where } \gamma(t) := 2e^{-it}, \quad t \in \langle 0, 6\pi \rangle;$$

f)

$$\int_{\gamma} \frac{e^{\pi z}}{2z^2 - i} dz,$$

where γ is a simple, closed, piecewise smooth positively oriented curve such that

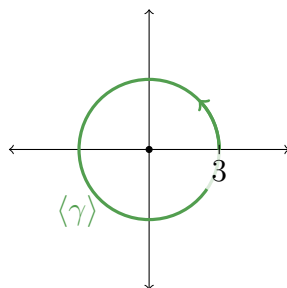
$$\text{int } \gamma = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1 \wedge 0 < \arg z < \frac{\pi}{2}\};$$

g)

$$\int_k \frac{dz}{z^5(z^{10} - 2)}, \quad \text{where } k = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| = 2\}.$$

Solution:

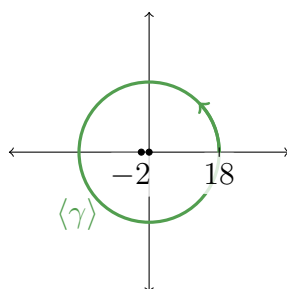
a)



Clearly $z = 0$ is a pole of the order three of the function $\frac{\cos z}{z^3}$, and therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\gamma} \frac{\cos z}{z^3} dz &= 2\pi i \operatorname{res}_{z=0} \frac{\cos z}{z^3} = \\ &= 2\pi i \frac{1}{2} [(\cos z)''']_{z=0} = \\ &= \pi i [(-\sin z)']_{z=0} = \\ &= \pi i [-\cos z]_{z=0} = \underline{-\pi i}. \end{aligned}$$

b)



Clearly

$$\int_{\gamma} \underbrace{\frac{1}{z+2} \cos \frac{1}{z}}_{=:f(z)} dz = 2\pi i \left(\operatorname{res} f(-2) + \operatorname{res} f(0) \right) = 2\pi i \left(-\operatorname{res} f(\infty) \right).$$

For every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $|z| > 2$ we have that

$$\frac{1}{z+2} = \frac{1}{z} \frac{1}{1+\frac{2}{z}} = \frac{1}{z} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{2^n}{z^n} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{2^n}{z^{n+1}},$$

and therefore

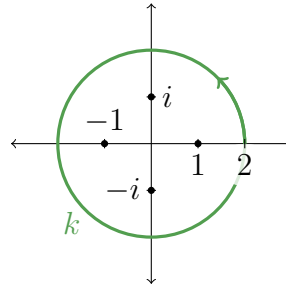
$$f(z) = \left(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-2)^{n-1}}{z^n} \right) \left(\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{1}{(2n)!} \frac{1}{z^{2n}} \right).$$

From this, it follows that

$$\operatorname{res} f(\infty) = -(-2)^0 \cdot (-1)^0 \cdot \frac{1}{0!} = -1,$$

$$\int_{\gamma} \frac{1}{z+2} \cos \frac{1}{z} dz = -2\pi i \operatorname{res} f(\infty) = \underline{2\pi i}.$$

c)



$$\int_k \underbrace{\frac{z^3}{z^4 - 1}}_{=:f(z)} dz = 2\pi i \left(\operatorname{res} f(1) + \operatorname{res} f(-1) + \operatorname{res} f(i) + \operatorname{res} f(-i) \right) = 2\pi i \left(-\operatorname{res} f(\infty) \right).$$

For every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $|z| > 1$ we have that

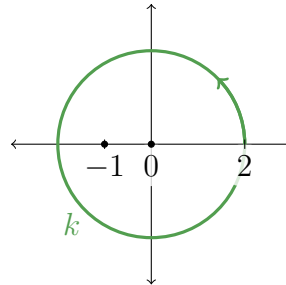
$$f(z) = \frac{z^3}{z^4 - 1} = z^3 \frac{1}{z^4} \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{z^4}} = \frac{1}{z} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{z^4} \right)^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{z^{4n+1}},$$

and therefore

$$\operatorname{res} f(\infty) = -1,$$

$$\int_k \frac{z^3}{z^4 - 1} dz = 2\pi i \left(-\operatorname{res} f(\infty) \right) = \underline{2\pi i}.$$

d)



Clearly

$$\int_k \underbrace{\frac{z^3}{z+1} e^{\frac{1}{z}}}_{=:f(z)} dz = 2\pi i \left(\operatorname{res} f(-1) + \operatorname{res} f(0) \right) = 2\pi i \left(-\operatorname{res} f(\infty) \right).$$

Because for every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $|z| > 1$ we have that

$$\frac{z^3}{z+1} = z^2 \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{z}} = z^2 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{1}{z^n} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{1}{z^{n-2}},$$

$$f(z) = \left(\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{1}{z^{n-2}} \right) \left(\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \frac{1}{z^n} \right),$$

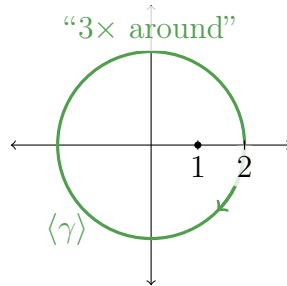
we have

$$\operatorname{res} f(\infty) = - \left((-1)^0 \cdot \frac{1}{3!} + (-1)^1 \cdot \frac{1}{2!} + (-1)^2 \cdot \frac{1}{1!} + (-1)^3 \cdot \frac{1}{0!} \right) = \frac{1}{3}.$$

Therefore

$$\int_k \frac{z^3}{z+1} e^{\frac{1}{z}} dz = 2\pi i (-\operatorname{res} f(\infty)) = \underline{\underline{-\frac{2\pi i}{3}}}.$$

e)



Clearly

$$\int_{\gamma} \underbrace{z \sin \frac{z+1}{z-1}}_{=:f(z)} dz = -3 \cdot 2\pi i \operatorname{res} f(1).$$

Because

$$\begin{aligned} \sin \frac{z+1}{z-1} &= \sin \left(\frac{z-1}{z-1} + \frac{2}{z-1} \right) = \sin \left(1 + \frac{2}{z-1} \right) = \\ &= \sin 1 \cos \frac{2}{z-1} + \cos 1 \sin \frac{2}{z-1}, \end{aligned}$$

we have for every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $z \neq 1$,

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= (z-1+1) \left(\sin 1 \cos \frac{2}{z-1} + \cos 1 \sin \frac{2}{z-1} \right) = \\ &= \sin 1 \left[\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{2^{2n}}{(2n)!} \frac{1}{(z-1)^{2n-1}} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{2^{2n}}{(2n)!} \frac{1}{(z-1)^{2n}} \right] + \\ &+ \cos 1 \left[\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{2^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!} \frac{1}{(z-1)^{2n}} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{2^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!} \frac{1}{(z-1)^{2n+1}} \right]. \end{aligned}$$

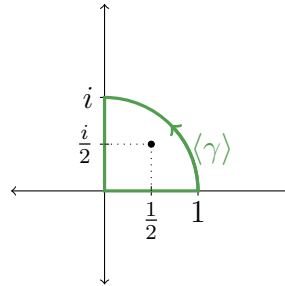
Therefore

$$\operatorname{res} f(1) = \left((-1)^0 \frac{2^2}{2!} \right) \sin 1 + \cos 1 \left((-1)^0 \frac{2^1}{1!} \right) = -2 \sin 1 + 2 \cos 1,$$

$$\int_{\gamma} z \sin \frac{z+1}{z-1} dz = -3 \cdot 2\pi i \operatorname{res} f(1) = \underline{\underline{12\pi i (\sin 1 - \cos 1)}}.$$

f) Because

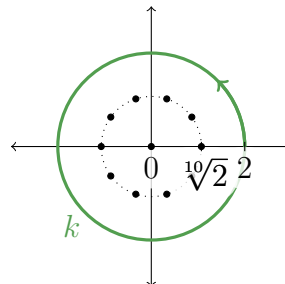
$$2z^2 - i = 0 \Leftrightarrow z^2 = \frac{i}{2} \Leftrightarrow z = \pm \frac{1+i}{2},$$



we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\gamma} \frac{e^{\pi z}}{2z^2 - i} dz &= 2\pi i \operatorname{res}_{z=\frac{1+i}{2}} \left(\frac{e^{\pi z}}{2z^2 - i} \right) = \\ &= 2\pi i \frac{e^{\pi(\frac{1+i}{2})}}{4 \left(\frac{1+i}{2} \right)} = \frac{\pi}{2} (i-1) e^{\frac{\pi}{2}}. \end{aligned}$$

g) Because the function $f(z) := \frac{1}{z^5(z^{10}-2)}$ clearly has 12 isolated singularities, 11 of which (0 and the roots of $z^{10} = 2$) lie “inside” k and the twelfth is ∞ ,



we have

$$\int_k \frac{dz}{z^5(z^{10}-2)} = 2\pi i (-\operatorname{res} f(\infty)).$$

For every $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $\sqrt[10]{2} < |z|$, we have that

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{z^{15}} \frac{1}{1 - \frac{2}{z^{10}}} = \frac{1}{z^{15}} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{2^n}{z^{10n}} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{2^n}{z^{10n+15}},$$

and therefore

$$\int_k \frac{dz}{z^5(z^{10}-2)} = 2\pi i (-\operatorname{res} f(\infty)) = \underline{0}.$$

EXERCISE 59.

Using the residue theorem compute the integrals⁸.

a)

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{dx}{5 + 3 \cos x};$$

e)

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{\cos x}{3 + 2 \sin x} dx;$$

b)

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{x^2 dx}{x^4 + 6x^2 + 25};$$

f)

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \frac{\cos^2(2x)}{5 - 4 \cos x} dx;$$

c)

$$\int_0^{\infty} \frac{x^4 + 1}{x^6 + 1} dx;$$

g)

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{1 + x^6};$$

d)

$$\int_0^{\infty} \frac{x^2}{(x^2 + 1)^3} dx;$$

h)

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x^2 + x + 1}.$$

Solution:

a) Let us define the curve $\gamma(t) := e^{it}$, $t \in \langle 0, 2\pi \rangle$. Then, using the change of variables⁹
 $e^{ix} = z$,

$$\cos x = \frac{e^{ix} + e^{-ix}}{2} = \frac{z + \frac{1}{z}}{2},$$

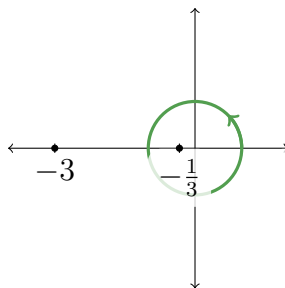
$$ie^{ix} dx = dz, \text{ tj. } dx = \frac{1}{iz} dz,$$

we get

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{dx}{5 + 3 \cos x} = \int_{\gamma} \frac{1}{\left(5 + 3 \frac{z + \frac{1}{z}}{2}\right)} \frac{1}{iz} dz = \int_{\gamma} \frac{2 dz}{i(10z + 3z^2 + 3)}.$$

Because

$$3z^2 + 10z + 3 = 0 \Leftrightarrow z = \frac{-10 \pm \sqrt{100 - 36}}{6} \Leftrightarrow z \in \left\{ -\frac{1}{3}, -3 \right\},$$



⁸The integrals should be understood as “real” integrals of functions of *real variable*

⁹See [1, Chapter 9.3, part a)].

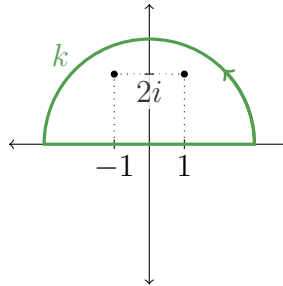
we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{dx}{5 + 3 \cos x} &= \int_{\gamma} \frac{2 dz}{i(10z + 3z^2 + 3)} = \\ &= 2\pi i \operatorname{res}_{z=-\frac{1}{3}} \left(\frac{2}{i(3z^2 + 10z + 3)} \right) = \\ &= 4\pi \left[\frac{1}{6z + 10} \right]_{z=-\frac{1}{3}} = \frac{4\pi}{8} = \underline{\underline{\frac{\pi}{2}}}. \end{aligned}$$

b) We start by observing that

$$z^4 + 6z^2 + 25 = 0 \Leftrightarrow z^2 = -3 \pm 4i \Leftrightarrow z \in \{1 + 2i, -1 - 2i, -1 + 2i, 1 - 2i\}.$$

Let $k \subset \mathbb{C}$ be the boundary of the set $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 3 \wedge \operatorname{Im} z > 0\}$.



Then it holds¹⁰

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{x^2 dx}{x^4 + 6x^2 + 25} &= \int_k \frac{z^2 dz}{z^4 + 6z^2 + 25} = \\ &= 2\pi i \left(\operatorname{res}_{z=1+2i} \frac{z^2}{z^4 + 6z^2 + 25} + \operatorname{res}_{z=-1+2i} \frac{z^2}{z^4 + 6z^2 + 25} \right) = \\ &= 2\pi i \left(\left[\frac{z^2}{4z^3 + 12z} \right]_{z=1+2i} + \left[\frac{z^2}{4z^3 + 12z} \right]_{z=-1+2i} \right) = \\ &= 2\pi i \left(\left[\frac{z}{4z^2 + 12} \right]_{z=1+2i} + \left[\frac{z}{4z^2 + 12} \right]_{z=-1+2i} \right) = \\ &= 2\pi i \left(\frac{1 + 2i}{4(-3 + 4i) + 12} + \frac{-1 + 2i}{4(-3 - 4i) + 12} \right) = \\ &= 2\pi i \left(\frac{1 + 2i}{16i} - \frac{-1 + 2i}{16i} \right) = \frac{\pi}{8} (1 + 2i + 1 - 2i) = \underline{\underline{\frac{\pi}{4}}}. \end{aligned}$$

¹⁰See [1, Chapter 9.3, part b)].

c) Because the problem

$$z^6 + 1 = 0 \wedge \operatorname{Im} z \geq 0$$

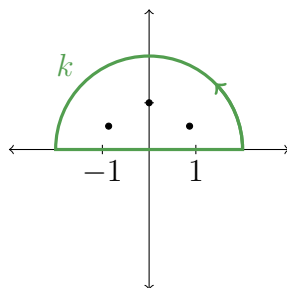
has exactly three solutions:

$$\begin{aligned} z_1 &:= e^{i\frac{\pi}{6}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1}{2}i, \\ z_2 &:= e^{i\frac{\pi}{2}} = i, \\ z_3 &:= e^{i\frac{5\pi}{6}} = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1}{2}i, \end{aligned}$$

and the function $\frac{x^4+1}{x^6+1}$ is even, we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^\infty \frac{x^4+1}{x^6+1} dx &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\infty}^\infty \frac{x^4+1}{x^6+1} dx = \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_k \frac{z^4+1}{z^6+1} dz = \\ &= \frac{1}{2} 2\pi i \sum_{j=1}^3 \operatorname{res}_{z=z_j} \frac{z^4+1}{z^6+1}, \end{aligned}$$

where $k \subset \mathbb{C}$ is the boundary of the set $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 2 \wedge \operatorname{Im} z > 0\}$.



Therefore, because

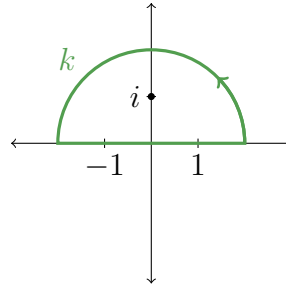
$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{res}_{z=z_1} \frac{z^4+1}{z^6+1} &= \left[\frac{z^4+1}{6z^5} \right]_{z=\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}+\frac{1}{2}i} = \frac{1}{6}(-i), \\ \operatorname{res}_{z=z_2} \frac{z^4+1}{z^6+1} &= \left[\frac{z^4+1}{6z^5} \right]_{z=i} = \frac{2}{6}(-i), \\ \operatorname{res}_{z=z_3} \frac{z^4+1}{z^6+1} &= \left[\frac{z^4+1}{6z^5} \right]_{z=-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}+\frac{1}{2}i} = \frac{1}{6}(-i), \end{aligned}$$

we have that

$$\int_0^\infty \frac{x^4+1}{x^6+1} dx = \frac{2}{3}\pi.$$

d) The function $\frac{x^2}{(x^2+1)^3}$ is even, and therefore for $k \subset \mathbb{C}$, which is the boundary of the set

$$\{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 2 \wedge \text{Im } z > 0\},$$



we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^\infty \frac{x^2 dx}{(x^2+1)^3} &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\infty}^\infty \frac{x^2 dx}{(x^2+1)^3} = \frac{1}{2} \int_k \frac{z^2 dz}{(z^2+1)^3} = \\ &= \frac{1}{2} 2\pi i \operatorname{res}_{z=i} \left(\frac{z^2}{(z^2+1)^3} \right) = \pi i \frac{1}{2} \left[\left(\frac{z^2}{(z+i)^3} \right)'' \right]_{z=i} = \\ &= \frac{\pi i}{2} \left[\left(\frac{2z(z+i)^3 - z^2 3(z+i)^2}{(z+i)^6} \right)' \right]_{z=i} = \\ &= \frac{\pi i}{2} \left[\left(\frac{-z^2 + 2zi}{(z+i)^4} \right)' \right]_{z=i} = \\ &= \frac{\pi i}{2} \left[\frac{(-2z + 2i)(z+i)^4 - (-z^2 + 2zi)4(z+i)^3}{(z+i)^8} \right]_{z=i} = \\ &= \frac{\pi i}{2} \left(\frac{4(2i)^3}{(2i)^8} \right) = \frac{2\pi i}{2^5 i^5} = \underline{\underline{\frac{\pi}{16}}}. \end{aligned}$$

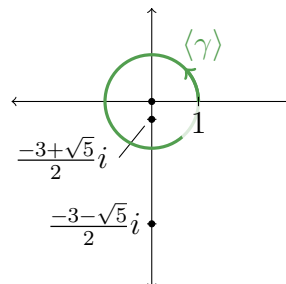
e) Let $\gamma(t) := e^{it}$, where $t \in \langle 0, 2\pi \rangle$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-\pi}^\pi \frac{\cos x}{3 + 2 \sin x} dx &= \int_\gamma \frac{z + \frac{1}{z}}{2} \frac{1}{3 + 2 \frac{z-\frac{1}{z}}{2i}} \frac{1}{iz} dz = \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_\gamma \frac{z^2 + 1}{z} \frac{1}{z^2 + 3iz - 1} dz. \end{aligned}$$

(We've used the change of variables $e^{ix} = z$, see [1, Chapter 9.3, part a)].

Because

$$z^2 + 3iz - 1 = 0 \Leftrightarrow z = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2} i,$$



we have that

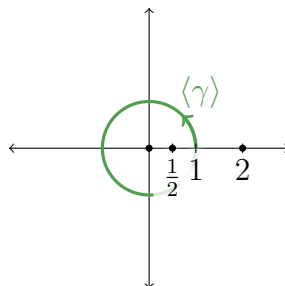
$$\begin{aligned}
 \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{\cos x}{3 + 2 \sin x} dx &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{\gamma} \underbrace{\frac{z^2 + 1}{z} \frac{1}{z^2 + 3iz - 1}}_{=:f(z)} dz = \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} 2\pi i \left(\operatorname{res} f(0) + \operatorname{res} f\left(\frac{-3 + \sqrt{5}}{2}i\right) \right) = \\
 &= \pi i \left(\left[\frac{z^2 + 1}{z^2 + 3iz - 1} \right]_{z=0} + \left[\frac{z^2 + 1}{z(2z + 3i)} \right]_{z=\frac{-3 + \sqrt{5}}{2}i} \right) = \\
 &= \pi i \left(-1 + \left[\frac{2 - 3iz}{2 - 6iz + 3iz} \right]_{z=\frac{-3 + \sqrt{5}}{2}i} \right) = \pi i(-1 + 1) = \underline{0}.
 \end{aligned}$$

f) We will use the change of variables $e^{ix} = z$,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \cos x &= \frac{z + \frac{1}{z}}{2}, \\
 \cos 2x &= \frac{z^2 + \frac{1}{z^2}}{2}, \\
 dx &= \frac{1}{iz} dz.
 \end{aligned}$$

For $\gamma(t) := e^{it}$, where $t \in \langle 0, 2\pi \rangle$, we have that

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{\cos^2 2x}{5 - 4 \cos x} dx &= \int_{\gamma} \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{z^4 + 1}{z^2} \right)^2 \frac{1}{5 - 2\frac{z^2+1}{z}} \frac{1}{iz} dz = \\
 &= \int_{\gamma} \frac{1}{4i} \frac{(z^4 + 1)^2}{z^4} \frac{1}{5z - 2z^2 - 2} dz = \\
 &= \int_{\gamma} \frac{1}{4i} \frac{(z^4 + 1)^2}{z^4} \underbrace{\frac{1}{-2(z - 2)(z - \frac{1}{2})}}_{=:f(z)} dz = \\
 &= \frac{2\pi i}{4i} \left(\operatorname{res} f(0) + \operatorname{res} f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \right).
 \end{aligned}$$



and because

$$\begin{aligned}\operatorname{res} f(0) &= \frac{1}{3!} \left[\left(\frac{(z^4 + 1)^2}{5z - 2z^2 - 2} \right)''' \right]_{z=0} = \frac{1}{6} \left(-\frac{255}{8} \right) = -\frac{255}{48}, \\ \operatorname{res} f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) &= \left[\frac{(z^4 + 1)^2}{z^4} \frac{1}{5 - 4z} \right]_{z=\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{289}{48},\end{aligned}$$

we have that

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \frac{\cos^2 2x}{5 - 4 \cos x} dx = \frac{17}{48} \pi.$$

g) Because the equation $z^6 + 1 = 0$ has, assuming $\operatorname{Im} z \geq 0$, exactly three solutions:

$$\begin{aligned}z_1 &= e^{i\frac{\pi}{6}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1}{2}i, \\ z_2 &= e^{i\frac{\pi}{2}} = i, \\ z_3 &= e^{i\frac{5\pi}{6}} = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1}{2}i,\end{aligned}$$

for the function $f(z) := \frac{1}{1+z^6}$ we have that

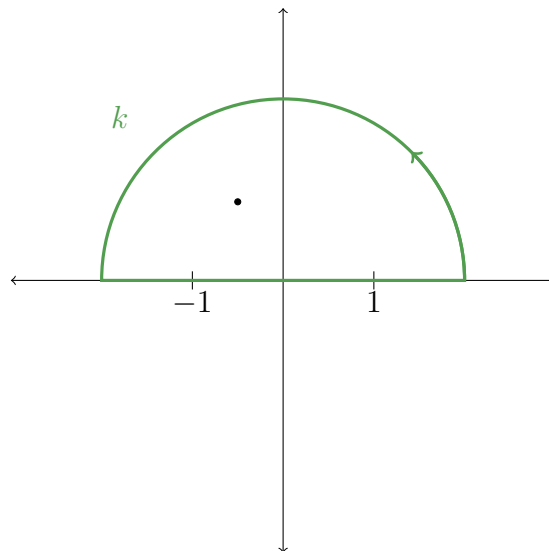
$$\begin{aligned}\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{1+x^6} &= 2\pi i \left(\operatorname{res} f(z_1) + \operatorname{res} f(z_2) + \operatorname{res} f(z_3) \right) = \\ &= 2\pi i \sum_{k=1}^3 \frac{1}{6z_k^5} = 2\pi i \sum_{k=1}^3 \frac{z_k}{6z_k^6} = \\ &= -\frac{2\pi i}{6} (z_1 + z_2 + z_3) = \\ &= -\frac{\pi}{3} i \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1}{2}i + i - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1}{2}i \right) = \\ &= -\frac{\pi}{3} i 2i = \frac{2\pi}{3}.\end{aligned}$$

h) Because

$$z^2 + z + 1 = 0 \Leftrightarrow z = -\frac{1}{2} \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i,$$

for $k \subset \mathbb{C}$ defined as the boundary of the set $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 2 \wedge \text{Im } z > 0\}$ we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x^2 + x + 1} &= \int_k \frac{dz}{z^2 + z + 1} = \\ &= 2\pi i \operatorname{res}_{z=-\frac{1}{2}+\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i} \left(\frac{1}{z^2 + z + 1} \right) = \\ &= 2\pi i \left[\frac{1}{2z + 1} \right]_{z=-\frac{1}{2}+\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i} = \\ &= 2\pi i \frac{1}{-1 + \sqrt{3}i + 1} = \frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{3}}. \end{aligned}$$



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