Mathematical Physics

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Chaper 4 Group Theory

Definition of Group G

- closure under multiplication : if $a, b \in G$, then $ab \in G$.
- multiplication is associative : (ab)c = a(bc).
- $\exists 1 \in G$ such that $1a = a1 = a \ \forall a \in G$.
- $\exists a^{-1} \in G$ such that $a^{-1}a = aa^{-1} = 1 \ \forall a \in G$.

Example)

- Show that {1} is a group.
- Show that $\{1, i, -i, -1\}$ is a group.

• Show that 1 is unique : Assume $\exists 1' \in G$ and $1' \neq 1$ such that $1'a = a1' = a \ \forall a \in G$. Then you will find the assumption is wrong.

$$(1'1 = 11' = 1) \land (1'1 = 11' = 1') \rightarrow (1 = 1')$$

• Show that a^{-1} is unique : Assume $\exists (a^{-1})' \in G$ and $(a^{-1})' \neq a^{-1}$ such that $(a^{-1})'a = a(a^{-1})' = 1 \ \forall a \in G$. Then you will find the assumption is wrong. $a(a^{-1})' = 1 \rightarrow a^{-1}[a(a^{-1})'] = a^{-1}1 \rightarrow [a^{-1}a](a^{-1})' = a^{-1} \rightarrow (a^{-1})' = a^{-1}$. Example 1 2-Dimensional rotation

$$\left(\begin{array}{c} x'\\y'\end{array}\right) = R(\phi) \left(\begin{array}{c} x\\y\end{array}\right), \quad R(\phi) = \left(\begin{array}{c} \cos\phi & \sin\phi\\ -\sin\phi & \cos\phi\end{array}\right)$$

- Show that R(φ) is orthogonal[each row(cloumn) is orthogonal to the others].
- Show that $\text{Det}[R(\phi)] = +1$.
- Show that $[R(\phi)]^{-1} = [R(\phi)]^T = R(-\phi).$
- Show that $G = \{R(\phi)\}$ is a group.

- Show that $G = \{R(\phi)\}$ is abelian(commutative); $R(\phi_1)R(\phi_2) = R(\phi_2)R(\phi_1).$
- Show that G is SO(2); special orthogonal group (2×2) .
- Subgroup is a group inside a group.
- Show that $\{R(0), R(\pi)\}$ is a subgroup in G.
- Show that $\{R(0), R(\frac{\pi}{2}), R(\pi), R(\frac{3\pi}{2})\}$ is a subgroup in G.

invariant subgroup

- G' is an invariant subgroup of G if $gg'g^{-1} \in G' \ \forall g \in G$ and $\forall g' \in G'$.
- Show that $\{R(0), R(\pi)\}$ is an invariant subgroup in G.
- Show that {R(0), R(π/2), R(π), R(3π/2)} is an invariant subgroup in G.

Example 4.1.2) Similarity transformation $\{R_x(\phi)\},\$ $\{R_y(\phi)\},\$ and $\{R_z(\phi)\}\$ are subgroups or order 2 in SO(3).

$$R_x(\phi) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos\phi & \sin\phi \\ 0 & -\sin\phi & \cos\phi \end{pmatrix}, \quad R_y(\phi) = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\phi & 0 & -\sin\phi \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \sin\phi & 0 & \cos\phi \end{pmatrix},$$

$$R_z(\phi) = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\phi & \sin\phi & 0\\ -\sin\phi & \cos\phi & 0\\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix},$$

- Show that $R_x(\frac{\pi}{2})R_z(\phi)[R_x(\frac{\pi}{2})]^{-1} = R_y(\phi).$
- Therefore $\{R_z(\phi)\}$ is not an invariant subgroup.

special orthogonal group $\mathbf{SO}(n)$

- Show that $(AB)^T = B^T A^T$ for any matrices A and B.
- Show that $(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$ for any matrices A and B.
- Show that $O_i^{-1} = O_i^T$ if $\{O_i\}$ is a SO(n) group.
- Show that $(O_1O_2)^{-1} = (O_1O_2)^T$; if O_1 and O_2 are orthogonal, then O_1O_2 is also an orthogonal matrix.
- Show that real orthogonal $n \times n$ matrix has $\frac{1}{2}n(n-1)$ independent parameters.
- Show that SO(2) has only one independent parameter.
- Show that SO(3) has three independent parameters such as Euler angles.

Number of independent parameters of a group

- General linear group made of real n × n matrix, GL(n, R), has n² real elements. Show that There are n² independent real parameters.
- General linear group made of complex n × n matrix,
 GL(n,C), has n² complex elements. Show that there are 2n² independent real parameters.
- Special linear group made of real n × n matrix with determinant= +1, SL(n, R), has n² real elements and, therefore, the determinant must be real. Show that the condition "determinant= +1" eliminates one parameter. There are n² − 1 independent real parameters.

- Special linear group made of complex $n \times n$ matrix with determinant= +1, SL(n, C), has n^2 complex elements and, therefore, the determinant is in general complex. Show that the condition "determinant= +1" eliminates two real parameters. There are $2(n^2 1)$ independent real parameters.
- Show that $GL(n, C) \supset GL(n, R) \supset SL(n, R)$.
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- Unitary group made of complex $n \times n$ matrix $UU^{\dagger} = U^{\dagger}U = 1$, SL(n, C), has n^2 complex elements u_{ij} . Show that the diagonal terms of $UU^{\dagger} = U^{\dagger}U$ are always real and equal to 1; n constraints. Show that the off-diagonal terms of $UU^{\dagger} = U^{\dagger}U$ are in general complex and equal to 0; $\frac{1}{2}n(n-1) \times 2$ constraints.

- Show that $UU^{\dagger} = U^{\dagger}U = 1$ generates n^2 constraints and, therefore, we have n^2 independent parameters for U(n).
- Show that Det(AB) =Det(A)·Det(B) for any matrices A and B.
- Show that $Det(A^T) = Det(A)$ for any matrix A.
- Show that $Det(A^{-1}) = 1/Det(A)$ for any matrix A.
- Show that $Det(A^{\dagger}) = [Det(A)]^*$.
- Show that if $UU^{\dagger} = U^{\dagger}U = 1$, then $\operatorname{Det}(U) \cdot [\operatorname{Det}(U)]^* = |\operatorname{Det}(U)|^2 = 1 \to \operatorname{Det}(U) = e^{i\theta}$ and θ is a free real parameter.
- Show that special unitary group SU(n) of $n \times n$ complex matrix with the conditions $UU^{\dagger} = U^{\dagger}U$ and Det(U) = +1.

Show that the constraint Det(U) = +1 kills the parameter θ for $Det(U) = e^{i\theta}$ thus SU(n) has $n^2 - 1$ free parameters.

- Complex orthogonal group O(n, C) is made of $n \times n$ complex matrix O with $OO^T = O^T O = 1$.
- Show that Det(OO^T) = Det(1) leads to Det(O) = ±1. The determinant of an orthogonal matrix is determined and it is not a free parameter. We may choose the sign +1 or -1. The two matrices are completely independent. Show that the two matrices are NOT related by any similarity transformation U₋ = PU₊P⁻¹, where U_± is a unitary matrix with determinant ±1. You can check it by taking determinant of both sides.
- Show that diagonal components of $OO^T = O^T O = 1$ gives n complex equations, $\sum_{k=1}^n o_{ik}^2 = 1 + i0$, where $i = 1, \dots, n$. The

condition eliminates 2n free parameters.

- Show that off-diagonal components of $OO^T = O^T O = 1$ gives $\frac{1}{2}n(n-1)$ complex equations, $\sum_{k=1}^n o_{ik}o_{jk} = 0 + i0$, where $i, j = 1, \dots, n$. The condition eliminates n(n-1) free parameters.
- Show that the number of constrants for the complex orthogonal group is n(n+1). Therefore O(n, C) has n(n-1) free real parameters.
- Real orthogonal group O(n, R) is made of $n \times n$ real matrix Owith $OO^T = O^T O = 1$.
- Show that $Det(OO^T) = Det(1)$ leads to $Det(O) = \pm 1$. The determinant of an orthogonal matrix is determined and it is not a free parameter. We may choose the sign +1 or -1. The

two matrices are completely independent. Show that the two matrices are NOT related by any similarity transformation $U_{-} = PU_{+}P^{-1}$, where U_{\pm} is a unitary matrix with determinant ± 1 . You can check it by taking determinant of both sides.

- Show that diagonal components of $OO^T = O^T O = 1$ gives n real equations, $\sum_{k=1}^n o_{ik}^2 = 1$, where $i = 1, \dots, n$. The condition eliminates n free parameters.
- Show that off-diagonal components of $OO^T = O^T O = 1$ gives $\frac{1}{2}n(n-1)$ real equations, $\sum_{k=1}^n o_{ik}o_{jk} = 0$, where $i, j = 1, \dots, n$. The condition eliminates $\frac{1}{2}n(n-1)$ free parameters.

- Show that the number of constrants for the real orthogonal group is $\frac{1}{2}n(n+1)$. Therefore O(n, R) has $\frac{1}{2}n(n-1)$ free real parameters.
- Show that special orthogonal group SO(n, C), a group made of the elements of O(n, C) with determinant= +1, is a subgroup of O(n, C). Show that SO(n, C) has has n(n − 1) free real parameters like O(n, C).
- Elements of O(n, C) with determinant = −1 do not make a group. You can check it by taking determinant of a product of two matrices with determinant = −1 to find it is 1 instead of −1. Show that there are n(n − 1) free real parameters in this space.
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Euler angles

Show that

$$A(\alpha, \beta, \gamma) \equiv R_z(\gamma) R_y(\beta) R_z(\alpha)$$
$$= \begin{pmatrix} +c_\gamma c_\beta c_\alpha - s_\gamma s_\alpha & c_\gamma c_\beta s_\alpha + s_\gamma c_\alpha & -c_\gamma s_\beta \\ -s_\gamma c_\beta c_\alpha - c_\gamma s_\alpha & -s_\gamma c_\beta s_\alpha + c_\gamma c_\alpha & s_\gamma s_\beta \\ s_\beta c_\alpha & s_\beta s_\alpha & c_\beta \end{pmatrix},$$

where $c_{\alpha} = \cos \alpha$ and $s_{\alpha} = \sin \alpha$, makes a SO(3) group.

- Find α, β, γ such that $A(\alpha, \beta, \gamma) = R_x(\theta)$.
- Find α, β, γ such that $A(\alpha, \beta, \gamma) = R_y(\theta)$.
- Find α, β, γ such that $A(\alpha, \beta, \gamma) = R_z(\theta)$.

special unitary group $\mathbf{SU}(n)$

- Determinant is +1: special.
- $U^{-1} = U^{\dagger}$: unitary.
- Complex $n \times n$ unitary matrix has $n^2 1$ degrees of freedom; $2n^2 - n_{\text{unitarity}}^2 - 1_{\text{Det}=1} = n^2 - 1.$
- Show that $(AB)^{\dagger} = B^{\dagger}A^{\dagger}$ for any matrices A and B.
- Show that U_1U_2 is unitary if U_1 and U_2 are unitary.

Let us show that complex $n \times n$ unitary matrix (a_{ij}) with positive determinant has $n^2 - 1$ independent parameters.

- Originally we have n^2 complex $(2n^2 \text{ real})$ parameters because the matrix (a_{ij}) is $n \times n$ and complex.
- Unitarity gives constraints $\sum_{k} (a^{\dagger})_{ik} a^{kj} = \sum_{k} a^{*}_{ki} a_{kj} = \delta_{ij}$.
- for i = j we have *n* conditions $\sum_{k} (a^{\dagger})_{ik} a^{ki} = \sum_{k} a_{ki}^{*} a_{ki} = \sum_{k} |a_{ki}|^{2} = 1$. Note that this constraints are equations for real numbers because both side are real numbers; The sum of real numbers $|a_{ki}|^{2}$ is real.
- for $i \neq j$ we have n(n-1) conditions. Note that there are $\frac{1}{2}n(n-1)$ equations and the left-hand side $\sum_k a_{ki}^* a_{kj}$ is a complex number. Thus we have $n + n(n-1) = n^2$ constraints

from the unitarity condition.

- The determinant is +1. This is one more constraint.
- Subtracting the number of constraints from the number of original parameters, we get the number of independent parameters $2n^2 (n^2 + 1) = n^2 1$.

Pauli matrices and special unitary group SU(2)

$$1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \sigma_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \sigma_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \sigma_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

- Show that $\operatorname{Tr}(\sigma_i) = 0$.
- Show that $\sigma_i \sigma_j = \delta_{ij} 1 + i \epsilon_{ijk} \sigma_k$.
- Show that $[\sigma_i, \sigma_j] = 2i\epsilon_{ijk}\sigma_k$.
- Show that $\{\sigma_i, \sigma_j\} = 2\delta_{ij}1$.
- Show that $\boldsymbol{a} \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma} \ \boldsymbol{b} \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma} = \boldsymbol{a} \cdot \boldsymbol{b} \ 1 + i\boldsymbol{a} \times \boldsymbol{b} \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}$.
- Show that any Hermitian 2×2 matrix H is expressed as $H = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Tr}(H) \ 1 + \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Tr}(H\boldsymbol{\sigma}) \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}.$

Example 4.1.3 Show that $G = \{e^{i\theta}, \theta \in R\}$ is a unitary group U(1); U= unitary, (1) single parameter.

•
$$e^{i\theta_1}e^{i\theta_2} = e^{i(\theta_1 + \theta_2)} \in G.$$

•
$$(e^{i\theta_1}e^{i\theta_2})e^{i\theta_3} = e^{i\theta_1}(e^{i\theta_2}e^{i\theta_3}) = e^{i(\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \theta_3)} \in G.$$

•
$$e^{i0} = 1 \in G$$
.

•
$$(e^{i\theta_1})^{-1} = e^{-i\theta_1} = (e^{i\theta_1})^{\dagger} \in G.$$

- Show that $\{1, -1\}$ is a subgroup of G.
- Show that $\{1, -1, i, -i\}$ is a subgroup of G.
- Show that $\{1, \sigma_1\}$, $\{1, \sigma_2\}$, and $\{1, \sigma_3\}$, are subgroups of SU(2); Use $\sigma_k^2 = 1 \forall k = 1, 2, 3$.

Homomorphism) Consider two groups G and H. There is a transform $H = \{h = f(g), g \in G\}$. If $f(g_1g_2) = f(g_1)f(g_2)$, the two groups are homomorphic.

• Show that G and H are homomorphic If $H = \{h = UgU^{-1}, g \in G\}$ and $G = \{g\};$ $h_1h_2 = (Ug_1U^{-1})(Ug_2U^{-1}) = U(g_1g_2)U^{-1}.$

Isomomorphism) Consider two groups G and H. If G and H are homomorphic and there is one-to-one correspondence, they are isomorphic.

• Show that G and H are homomorphic If $H = \{h = UgU^{-1}, g \in G\}$ and $G = \{g\};$ $h_1h_2 = (Ug_1U^{-1})(Ug_2U^{-1}) = U(g_1g_2)U^{-1}.$

Diagonalization

- Solve the eigenvalue problem $A|x_i\rangle = \lambda_i |x_i\rangle$, where $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$, to find $\lambda_1 = +1$, $\lambda_2 = -1$ with $|x_1\rangle = (1, +1)^T$ and $|x_2\rangle = (1, -1)^T$.
- Show that $PAP^{-1} = \text{diag}(\lambda_1, \lambda_2)$ is diagonal, where $P^{-1} = (|x_1\rangle, |x_2\rangle).$
- Show that $P|x_1\rangle = (1,0)^T$ and $P|x_2\rangle = (0,1)^T$.

Reducible representation If a matrix is block-diagonalizable, it is reducible.

•
$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$
. Show that $PAP^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ is diagonal,
where $P^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$.

Ireducible representation Fully block-diagonalized matrix representation.

Time-independent Schrödinger equation $H\psi = E\psi$.

- if H is invariant under the similarity transformation $RHR^{-1} = H, [H, R] = 0.$
- if [H, R] = 0, ψ and $R\psi$ are degenerate; have a common eigenvalue.

Multiplet; basis vectors of a vector space

• spin doublet; spin \uparrow and spin \downarrow states.

•
$$2\ell + 1$$
-plet; $|J = \ell, J_z = m_\ell = -\ell \rangle, \dots, |J = \ell, J_z = m_\ell = \ell \rangle$

Matrix representation: ψ_i , $i = 1, \dots, n$ are basis vectors of a vector space V_{ψ} .

$$(R\psi)_j = \sum_k r_{jk}\psi_k, \quad R \in G$$

 r_{jk} is the matrix representation of G with the basis $\{\psi_i \mid i = 1, \dots, n\}.$ **Irreducible representation**: if $\{R\psi_i\} = V_{\psi} \ \forall \psi_i \in V_{\psi}$ and $\forall R \in G$, then the representation is irreducible.

Reducible representation: not irreducible.

Direct sum: If V_{ψ} is reducible and V_i are irreducible, then \exists a unitary transform U such that UrU^{\dagger} is block-diagonalized as

$$UrU^{\dagger} = \begin{pmatrix} \boldsymbol{r}_1 & \boldsymbol{0} & \dots & \\ \boldsymbol{0} & \boldsymbol{r}_2 & \boldsymbol{0} \\ \vdots & \boldsymbol{0} & \ddots & \end{pmatrix}$$

And V_{ψ} is a direct sum of V_i

$$V_{\psi} = V_1 \oplus V_2 \oplus \cdots \oplus V_{n-1} \oplus V_n$$

• Show that

$$\cos \alpha \cos \beta - \sin \alpha \sin \beta = \cos(\alpha + \beta)$$
$$\sin \alpha \cos \beta + \cos \alpha \sin \beta = \sin(\alpha + \beta)$$

• Show that

$$\cos(i\alpha) = \cosh \alpha, \quad \sin(i\alpha) = i \sinh \alpha.$$

• Show that

 $\cosh \alpha \cosh \beta + \sinh \alpha \sin \beta = \cosh(\alpha + \beta)$ $\sinh \alpha \cosh \beta + \cosh \alpha \sin \beta = \sinh(\alpha + \beta)$

• Show that
$$L(\alpha)L(\beta) = L(\alpha + \beta) = L(\beta)L(\alpha)$$
 where

$$L(\alpha) = \begin{pmatrix} \cosh \alpha & \sinh \alpha \\ \sinh \alpha & \cosh \alpha \end{pmatrix}$$

- Show that $\{L(\alpha)\}$ is an abelian group.
- Show that $[L(\alpha)]^{-1} = L(-\alpha)$.

4.2 Generators of Continuous Group

- Show that $(\sigma_k)^n = \delta_{n,\text{even}} 1 + \delta_{n,\text{odd}} \sigma_k$.
- Prove the Euler's identity $e^{i\sigma_k\theta} \equiv \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(i\sigma_k\theta)^n}{n!} = 1 \cos\theta + i\sigma_k \sin\theta.$

• Show that

$$R(\phi) = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \phi & \sin \phi \\ -\sin \phi & \cos \phi \end{pmatrix} = 1 \ \cos \phi + i\sigma_2 \sin \phi = e^{i\sigma_2\phi}.$$

• Using Euler's identity, show that $e^{i\sigma_k\phi_1}e^{i\sigma_k\phi_2} = e^{i\sigma_k(\phi_1+\phi_2)}$

exponential function of a matrix

- Show that $\ln(1+x) = -\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-x)^k}{k!}$.
- Show that $\lim_{n\to\infty} n \ln\left(1+\frac{x}{n}\right) = x$.
- Show that $\lim_{n\to\infty} \left(1+\frac{x}{n}\right)^n = e^x$.
- Show that $e^{i\phi S} = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left(1 + \frac{i\phi}{n}S\right)^n$, where S is a matrix.

Beker-Housdorff formula : Consider $O = e^{i\phi S}Ae^{-i\phi S}$.

• Show that
$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} O = e^{i\phi S} i[S, A] e^{-i\phi S}$$
.

• Show that
$$\frac{\partial^n}{\partial \phi^n} O = e^{i\phi S} i^n f_n(S, A) e^{-i\phi S}$$
, where $f_{n+1}(S, A) = [S, f_n(iS, A)]$ and $f_0(S, A) = A$.

- Prove the Beker-Housdorff formula $O = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} f_n(S, A) \frac{(i\phi)^n}{n!}$.
- Using the Beker-Housdorff formula, show that $e^{i\phi S}e^{-i\phi S} = 1$; $(e^{i\phi S})^{-1} = e^{-i\phi S}$.
- Using the Beker-Housdorff formula, show that $e^{i\phi S}Ae^{-i\phi S} = A$, if A and S commute.

Generators of a group: Consider a group element $R = e^{i\phi S} \in G$, where Det(R) = +1. Assume S is diagonalizable; $USU^{-1} = \text{diag}(\lambda_1, \cdots, \lambda_n).$

- Show that $Tr(AB) = Tr(BA) \forall A$ and B.
- Show that $\operatorname{Tr}(URU^{-1}) = \operatorname{Tr}(R)$.
- Show that $\operatorname{Det}(R) = \operatorname{Det}(URU^{-1}) = \operatorname{Det}(e^{U(i\phi S)U^{-1}}) =$ $\operatorname{Det}[\operatorname{diag}(e^{i\phi\lambda_1}, \cdots, e^{i\phi\lambda_n})] = e^{i\phi\operatorname{Tr}S}.$
- Show that S is traceless; Tr(S) = 0.
- Show that if R is unitary, then S is Hermitian.(ϕ is real)
- Show that if R is real orthogonal, then S is Hermitian and pure imaginary.(ϕ is real)

Consider a group $R = e^{i \sum_k \phi_k S_k} \in G$ of order r, where Det(R) = +1. There are r independent parameters of transformation. We call S_k 's generators of the group.

- Show that $Det(S_i)$ does not have to be +1 unlike R.
- Show that the number of generators is always same as the order of a group. Hint: count the number of constraints and compare with that for the group.

• Show that
$$[S_i, S_j]$$
 is antihermitian.

- Show that $\{S_i, S_j\} \equiv S_i S_j + S_j S_i$ does not have to be traceless.
- Show that \forall antihermitian $A, B = B^{\dagger}$, where A = iB.
- Show that $[S_i, S_j]$ is traceless.

- Show that if G is SU(n), there are $n^2 1$ generators.
- Show that if G is SO(n), there are n(n-1)/2 generators.
- Show that any traceless Hermitian matrix can be expressed as a linear combination of $\{S_i\}$.
- Show that $[S_i, S_j]$ can be expressed in a linear combination of S_k 's. $[S_i, S_j] = i \sum_k c_{ijk} S_k$, where the real numbers c_{ijk} 's are the structure constants of the group.

- Show that if A and B are Hermitian, $\{A, B\}$ is Hermitian.
- Show that if A is Hermitian, eigenvalues are real. Hint: $H|\psi\rangle = \lambda|\psi\rangle \rightarrow \langle \psi|H|\psi\rangle = \lambda \langle \psi|\psi\rangle$. Take the complex conjugate.
- Show that if A is Hermitian of dimension n, one can choose n eigenvectors, where any two are orthogonal to each other; they make a basis set. Therefore, A is diagonalizable.
- Show that if A is Hermitian, Tr(A) is real.

- Show that $\operatorname{Tr}(S_i S_j) = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Tr}(S_i S_j + S_j S_i) = f_{ij}$ is real and symmetric under exchange of the two indices.
- Show that $\operatorname{Tr}(S_i S_j) = f_{ij}$ is diagonalizable.
- Show that once $\operatorname{Tr}(S_i S_j) = f_{ij}$ is diagonalized, one can choose the normalization so that $\operatorname{Tr}(S'_i S'_j) = \lambda \delta_{ij}$.
- Tr[[S_i, S_j], S_k] is totally antisymmetric under exchange of any two indices.
- Show that if $\operatorname{Tr}(S_i S_j) = \lambda \delta_{ij}$, c_{ijk} is totally antisymmetric under exchange of any two indices. Hint: $\operatorname{Tr}([[S_i, S_j], S_k]) = 2i\lambda c_{ijk}$.
- Show that the structure constant is independent of representation; c_{ijk} is invariant under PS_iP^{-1} .

Hamiltonian operator and time evolution

• Show that
$$f(x+a) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{a^n}{n!} \frac{\partial^n}{\partial x^n} f(x) = e^{\pm a \frac{\partial}{\partial x}} f(x).$$

- Show that $H = i \frac{\partial}{\partial t}$ is the generator for the time evolution; $U(\Delta t)\psi(t) = \psi(t + \Delta t)$, where $U(\Delta t) = e^{-iH\Delta t}$.
- Show that if $H\psi(t) = E\psi(t)$, then $\psi(t) = e^{-iE(t-t_0)}\psi(t_0)$.
- Show that $U^{-1}(\Delta t) = U^{\dagger}(\Delta t) = U(-\Delta t)$.
- Show that $U(\Delta t)HU^{\dagger}(\Delta t) = H$.
- Show that for a free particle $(H = \frac{p_x^2}{2m})$ moving along the *x*-axis, $[H, p_x] = 0$ and therefore $U(\Delta t)p_x U^{\dagger}(\Delta t) = p_x$. Thus $e^{i(p_x x - Et)}$ is the eigenstate of both H and p_x , simultaneously.

Linear momentum operator and translation in 1 dimension

• Show that $p_x = \frac{1}{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x}$ is the generator for the translation; $U(\Delta x)\psi(x) = \psi(x + \Delta x)$, where $U(\Delta x) = e^{+ip_x\Delta x}$.

• Show that $[x, p_x] = i$.

• Show that $U^{-1}(\Delta x) = U^{\dagger}(\Delta x) = U(-\Delta x)$.

• Show that
$$U(\Delta x)p_x U^{\dagger}(\Delta x) = p_x$$
.

- Show that $U(\Delta x)xU^{\dagger}(\Delta x) = x + \Delta x$.
- Show that for a free particle $(H = \frac{p_x^2}{2m})$ moving along the *x*-axis, $[H, p_x] = 0$ and therefore $U(\Delta x)p_x U^{\dagger}(\Delta x) = p_x$.

Linear momentum operator and translation in 3 dimensions

• Show that $p_i = \frac{1}{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i}$'s are the generators for the 3-d translation; $U(\Delta \boldsymbol{x})\psi(\boldsymbol{x}) = \psi(\boldsymbol{x} + \Delta \boldsymbol{x})$, where $U(\Delta \boldsymbol{x}) = e^{+i\boldsymbol{p}\cdot\Delta\boldsymbol{x}}$.

• Show that
$$[x_i, p_j] = i\delta_{ij}$$
.

- Show that $U^{-1}(\Delta \boldsymbol{x}) = U^{\dagger}(\Delta \boldsymbol{x}) = U(-\Delta \boldsymbol{x}).$
- Show that $U(\Delta \boldsymbol{x})\boldsymbol{p}U^{\dagger}(\Delta \boldsymbol{x}) = \boldsymbol{p}.$
- Show that $U(\Delta \boldsymbol{x})\boldsymbol{x}U^{\dagger}(\Delta \boldsymbol{x}) = \boldsymbol{x} + \Delta \boldsymbol{x}$.
- Show that for a free particle $(H = \frac{p_x^2}{2m})$ moving along the *x*-axis, $[H, p_x] = 0$ and therefore $U(\Delta \boldsymbol{x})p_x U^{\dagger}(\Delta \boldsymbol{x}) = p_x$.

Angular momentum operator and rotation in 3 dimensions

• Show that the rotation along the z-axis by an angle ϕ to the function $\psi(x, y)$ is $\psi(x, y) \to R\psi(x, y) = \psi(x \cos \phi - y \sin \phi, y \cos \phi + x \sin \phi).$

• Show that, as
$$\phi \to 0$$
,
 $\psi(x \cos \phi - y \sin \phi, y \cos \phi + x \sin \phi) \to \psi(x - y\phi, y + x\phi) \to \left[1 + \phi \left(x \frac{\partial}{\partial y} - y \frac{\partial}{\partial x}\right)\right] \psi(x, y) = (1 + i\phi L_z) \psi(x, y)$, where
 $L_z = xp_y - yp_x = \frac{1}{i} \left(x \frac{\partial}{\partial y} - y \frac{\partial}{\partial x}\right)$.

• Using $\lim_{n\to\infty} \left(1 + \frac{\phi}{n}S\right)^n = e^{\phi S}$, show that $R\psi(x,y) = \psi(x - y\phi, y + x\phi) = e^{+i\phi L_z}\psi(x,y).$

- Show that the angular momentum operators L_i , i = 1, 2, 3 are generators of rotation.
- Show that the angular momentum operators L_i satisfies the Lie algebra $[L_i.L_j] = i\epsilon_{ijk}L_k$.
- Show that in the Cartesian coordinate (representation), where $\psi(x,y,z) = (x,y,z)^T$, the three generators are

$$L_{1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -i \\ 0 & i & 0 \end{pmatrix}, L_{2} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & i \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -i & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, L_{3} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i & 0 \\ i & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Note that $\sigma_{2} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$

• Show that the angular momentum operators L_i , i = 1, 2, 3have three distinctive eigenvalues -1, 0, and +1.

Rotation and SU(2)

- Show that SU(n) complex matrices have $n^2 1$ generators.
- Show that Pauli matrices are a set of generators for SU(2).

$$\sigma_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \sigma_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \sigma_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

- Show that $\operatorname{Tr}(\sigma^i \sigma^j) = 2\delta_{ij}; \lambda = 2.$
- Show that the structure constant is $c_{ijk} = 2\epsilon^{ijk}$; $[\sigma^i, \sigma^j] = 2i\epsilon^{ijk}\sigma^k$.
- Show that the Pauli matrices are Hermitian, traceless, and $Det(\sigma^i) = -1$.

- Show that $S_i = \frac{1}{2}\sigma_i$ satisfies the Lie algebra for the angular momentum; $[S_i, S_j] = i\epsilon_{ijk}S_k$.
- Show that $(\boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \boldsymbol{a})^2 = \boldsymbol{a}^2 = \sum_i a_i^2$, where $\boldsymbol{a} = (a^1, a^2, a^3)$ is a real vector.
- Show that $(\boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \hat{\boldsymbol{n}})^{2n} = 1$, where $\hat{\boldsymbol{n}}^2 = 1$.

• Show that
$$(\boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \hat{\boldsymbol{n}})^{2n+1} = \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \hat{\boldsymbol{n}}.$$

- Show that $U = e^{i\frac{\phi}{2}\boldsymbol{\sigma}\cdot\hat{\boldsymbol{n}}} = e^{i\phi\boldsymbol{S}\cdot\hat{\boldsymbol{n}}}$ produces the rotation along the axis $\hat{\boldsymbol{n}}$ by an angle ϕ .
- Show that $U = e^{i\frac{\phi}{2}\boldsymbol{\sigma}\cdot\hat{\boldsymbol{n}}} = 1 \cos\frac{\phi}{2} + i\boldsymbol{\sigma}\cdot\hat{\boldsymbol{n}}\sin\frac{\phi}{2}$.

$$= \begin{pmatrix} \cos\frac{\phi}{2} + i\hat{n}_{3}\sin\frac{\phi}{2} & i(\hat{n}_{1} - i\hat{n}_{2})\sin\frac{\phi}{2} \\ i(\hat{n}_{1} + i\hat{n}_{2})\sin\frac{\phi}{2} & \cos\frac{\phi}{2} - i\hat{n}_{3}\sin\frac{\phi}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

Ladder operator approach: Consider the angular momentum operators. They satisfy the following Lie algebra $[J_i, J_j] = i\epsilon_{ijk}J_k$.

- Show that $[A, B^2] = [A, B]B + B[A, B] \quad \forall A, B.$
- Show that $[J_1, J_2^2] = +i(J_2J_3 + J_3J_2).$
- Show that $[J_1, J_3^2] = -i(J_2J_3 + J_3J_2).$
- Show that $[J_i, J^2] = 0$, where $J^2 = J_1^2 + J_2^2 + J_3^2$.
- Show that $J^2 = \frac{1}{2} (J_+ J_- + J_- J_+) + J_z^2$
- Defining $J_{\pm} = J_1 \pm i J_2$, show that $[J^2, J_{\pm}] = 0$, $[J_z, J_{\pm}] = \pm J_{\pm}$, and $[J_+, J_-] = 2J_z$.

Because $[J^2, J_z] = 0$, we may choose a representation $|\lambda m\rangle$, where $J_z |\lambda m\rangle = m |\lambda m\rangle$ and $J^2 |\lambda m\rangle = \lambda |\lambda m\rangle$.

• Show that $J_i^{\dagger} = J_i$.

• Show that
$$J_{\pm}^{\dagger} = J_{\mp}$$

- Show that $\langle \psi | AB | \psi \rangle = \langle \psi | BA | \psi \rangle$ if $B = A^{\dagger}$.
- Show that $J_z J_{\pm} |\lambda m\rangle = (m \pm 1) |\lambda m\rangle$. Thus $J_{\pm} \propto |jm \pm 1\rangle$.
- Using $J_1^2 + J_2^2 = J^2 J_3^2$, show that $\lambda \ge m^2$, where $J^2 |\lambda m\rangle = \lambda |\lambda m\rangle$.

- Show that $J^2 = J_{\mp}J_{\pm} + J_3(J_3 \pm 1)$.
- If j = Max[m], $J_+|\lambda j\rangle = 0$. Using the condition, show that $\lambda = j(j+1)$. Hint: Calculate $J_-J_+|\lambda j\rangle = 0$.

From now on, we replace the λ by j.

- If $j' = \text{Min}[m], J_{-}|jj'\rangle = 0$. Using the condition, show that j' = -j. Hint: Calculate $J_{+}J_{-}|jj'\rangle = 0$.
- Show that there are 2j + 1 states $|jm\rangle$; $m = -j, -j + 1, \cdots, j$.

Homework set 1: (due: Sep 18, 2004)

- 1. (4.1.2) Show that rotations about the z-axis form a subgroup of SO(3). Show that this group is not an invariant subgroup of SO(3).
- 2. (4.1.5) A subgroup H of G has elements h_i . Let $x \in G$ and $x \notin H$. Show that the conjuagate subgroup $xHx^{-1} = \{xh_ix^{-1} \mid i = 1, 2, \cdots\}$ satisfies the four group postulates and therefore is a group.
- 3. (4.2.2) Prove that the general form of 2×2 unitary, unimodular matrix is $U = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ -b^* & a^* \end{pmatrix}$ with $aa^* + bb^* = 1$.
- 4. Based on the result, show the parametrization

$$\begin{pmatrix} \cos\frac{\phi}{2} + i\hat{n}_{3}\sin\frac{\phi}{2} & i(\hat{n}_{1} - i\hat{n}_{2})\sin\frac{\phi}{2} \\ i(\hat{n}_{1} + i\hat{n}_{2})\sin\frac{\phi}{2} & \cos\frac{\phi}{2} - i\hat{n}_{3}\sin\frac{\phi}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$
 is equivalent to
$$\begin{pmatrix} e^{i\xi}\cos\eta & e^{i\zeta}\sin\eta \\ -e^{-i\zeta}\sin\eta & e^{-i\xi}\cos\eta \end{pmatrix}$$
 and covers all possible 3-d rotation.

- 5. Show that $J_{\mp}J_{\pm}|jm\rangle = [j(j+1) m(m\pm 1)]|jm\pm 1\rangle = (j\mp m)(j\pm m+1)|jm\pm 1\rangle$
- 6. Show that $J_{\pm}|jm\rangle = \sqrt{(j \mp m)(j \pm +1)}|jm \pm 1\rangle$
- 7. Consider a SU(2) group. Choosing the generators as one half of the Pauli matrices, show that

$$S_{+} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad S_{-} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

8. Consider a Lorentz boost
$$\begin{pmatrix} t'\\ x' \end{pmatrix} = L \begin{pmatrix} t\\ x \end{pmatrix}$$
, where
 $L = \begin{pmatrix} \cosh \alpha & \sinh \alpha\\ \sinh \alpha & \cosh \alpha \end{pmatrix}$. Show that the boost matrix can be
expressed as $L = e^{\alpha \sigma_1} = 1 \cosh \alpha + \sigma_1 \sinh \alpha$, where
 $\sigma_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1\\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

Chaper 6 Functions of Complex Variables

Complex Number

$$C \equiv \{z = x + iy \mid x, y \in R \text{ and } i = \sqrt{-1}\}$$

• Show that C is closed under multiplication.

- Show that $x + iy = r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)$, where $\cos \theta = x/r$, $\sin \theta = y/r$, and $r = |z| \equiv \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$.
- Defining $z^* = \operatorname{Re}(z) i\operatorname{Im}(z)$, show that $zz^* = |z|^2 = [\operatorname{Re}(z)]^2 + [\operatorname{Im}(z)]^2 = r^2$.

Complex Number and 2-d vector

$$z = x + iy = re^{i\theta}, r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$
$$x = r\cos\theta, y = r\sin\theta$$
$$r = \hat{\mathbf{x}}x + \hat{\mathbf{y}}y : 1 - \text{to} - 1 \text{ correspondence}$$

- Show that $z^{-1} \in C \ \forall \ z \in C \{0\}$ and $z^{-1} = \frac{z^*}{|z|^2}$.
- Show that $\arg(z_1 z_2) = \arg(z_1) + \arg(z_2)$, where $\theta = \arg(z)$ and $z = |z|(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)$.
- Show that $|z| \ge |\operatorname{Re}(z)| \ge \operatorname{Re}(z)$.
- Show that $|z| \ge |\operatorname{Im}(z)| \ge \operatorname{Im}(z)$.
- Show that $|z_1 z_2| \ge |\operatorname{Re}(z_1 z_2)|, |\operatorname{Im}(z_1 z_2)|.$
- Show that $|z_1 z_2| \ge |\operatorname{Re}(z_1 z_2^*)|, |\operatorname{Im}(z_1 z_2^*)|.$
- Show that $|z| \pm \operatorname{Re}(z) \ge 0$.
- Show that $|z| \pm \text{Im}(z) \ge 0$.

Schwarz inequality

- Show that $|x + y| \le |x| + |y| \forall x, y \in R$. Hint: $|x| \ge \pm x$.
- Show that $|x| |y| \le |x + y| \ \forall x, y \in R$. Hint: $|x| \ge \pm x$.
- Therefore $|x| |y| \le |x + y| \le |x| + |y| \quad \forall x, y \in R$.
- Show that $|z|^2 \ge 0$. Thus $|\lambda z_1 + z_2|^2 \ge 0$.
- Choose real λ and show that $\operatorname{Re}(z_1 z_2^*) \leq |z_1 z_2^*| = |z_1| |z_2|$.
- Show that $|z_1||z_2| \ge \pm \operatorname{Re}(z_1 z_2^*)$ leads to $|z_1| - |z_2| \le |z_1 + z_2| \le |z_1| + |z_2| \ \forall \ z_1, z_2 \in C.$
- Interpret this result in terms of vectors.

$$e^{i heta}$$

• Show that $i^2 = -1 \rightarrow i^{2n} = (-1)^n$, $i^{2n+1} = i(-1)^n$.

• Show that
$$\cos \theta = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n)!} \theta^{2n}$$

• Show that
$$\sin \theta = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n+1)!} \theta^{2n+1}$$
.

• Show that
$$e^z = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n!}$$
.

• Show that
$$e^{i\theta} = \cos\theta + i\sin\theta$$

• Show that
$$|e^{i\theta}| = 1$$
.

De Moivre's Formula

- Show that $z_1 z_2 = r_1 r_2 e^{i(\theta_1 + \theta_2)}$.
- Show that $z^n = r^n e^{in\theta}$
- Show that $(a+b)^n = \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!} a^k b^{n-k}$.
- Show that $\cos n\theta = \sum_{k=0}^{2k \le n} \frac{(-1)^k n!}{(2k)!(n-2k)!} \cos^{n-2k} \theta \sin^{2k} \theta.$
- Show that

$$\sin n\theta = \sum_{k=0}^{2k+1 \le n} \frac{(-1)^k n!}{(2k+1)!(n-2k-1)!} \cos^{n-2k-1} \theta \sin^{2k+1} \theta.$$

• Prove the De Moivre's Formula $e^{in\theta} = (e^{i\theta})^n = (\cos\theta + i\sin\theta)^n.$

Problem 6.1.6

• Show that
$$\sum_{n=0}^{N-1} ar^{n-1} = \frac{a(1-r^N)}{1-r}$$

• Show that

$$\sum_{n=0}^{N-1} (e^{i\theta})^n = \frac{1-e^{iN\theta}}{1-e^{i\theta}} = e^{i\frac{(N-1)\theta}{2}} \times \frac{e^{i\frac{N\theta}{2}}-e^{-i\frac{N\theta}{2}}}{e^{i\frac{\theta}{2}}-e^{-i\frac{\theta}{2}}}$$
$$= e^{i\frac{(N-1)\theta}{2}} \times \frac{\sin\frac{N\theta}{2}}{\sin\frac{\theta}{2}}$$

• Show that
$$\sum_{n=0}^{N-1} \cos n\theta = \cos \frac{(N-1)\theta}{2} \times \frac{\sin \frac{N\theta}{2}}{\sin \frac{\theta}{2}}$$

• Show that
$$\sum_{n=0}^{N-1} \sin n\theta = \sin \frac{(N-1)\theta}{2} \times \frac{\sin \frac{N\theta}{2}}{\sin \frac{\theta}{2}}$$

Single-slit diffraction

$$E = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^{N} E_k \to E_0 \sin \omega t \text{ if } \theta = 0$$

$$E_k = \frac{E_0}{N} \sin \left(\omega t + \frac{2\pi a \sin \theta}{\lambda} \frac{k}{N} \right) = E_0 \operatorname{Im} e^{i \left(\omega t + \frac{2\pi a \sin \theta}{\lambda} \frac{k}{N} \right)}$$

$$E = \frac{E_0}{N} \operatorname{Im} \sum_{k=1}^{N} e^{i \left(\omega t + \frac{2\pi a \sin \theta}{\lambda} \frac{k}{N} \right)}$$

$$= \frac{E_0}{N} \operatorname{Im} \left[e^{i \omega t} \sum_{k=1}^{N} \left(e^{i \frac{2\pi \sin \theta}{\lambda} \cdot \frac{a}{N}} \right)^k \right]$$

$$= \frac{E_0}{N} \operatorname{Im} \left[e^{i\omega t} \frac{1 - e^{i\frac{2\pi a \sin\theta}{\lambda}}}{1 - e^{i\frac{2\pi a \sin\theta}{\lambda}}} \right]$$

$$= \frac{E_0}{N} \operatorname{Im} \left[e^{i\omega t} \frac{e^{i\frac{\pi a \sin\theta}{\lambda}}}{e^{i\frac{\pi a \sin\theta}{\lambda}}} \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi a \sin\theta}{\lambda}\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{\pi a \sin\theta}{\lambda N}\right)} \right]$$

$$= \frac{E_0}{N} \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi a \sin\theta}{\lambda}\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{\pi a \sin\theta}{\lambda N}\right)} \operatorname{Im} e^{i\left(\omega t + \frac{\pi a \sin\theta}{\lambda} \frac{N-1}{N}\right)}$$

$$\lim_{N \to \infty} E = E_0 \times \frac{\sin\alpha}{\alpha} \times \sin\left(\omega t + \frac{\pi a \sin\theta}{\lambda}\right), \ \alpha = \frac{\pi a \sin\theta}{\lambda}$$

$$\frac{I}{I_m} = \frac{E^2|_{\text{avg}}}{E_0^2|_{\text{avg}}} = \left(\frac{\sin\alpha}{\alpha}\right)^2$$

Assuming |p| < 1 show the following formulas.

•
$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} p^n \cos n\theta = \operatorname{Re} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} p^n e^{in\theta}.$$

•
$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} p^n \sin n\theta = \operatorname{Im} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} p^n e^{in\theta}.$$

•
$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} p^n e^{in\theta} = \frac{1}{1 - pe^{in\theta}}.$$

•
$$\operatorname{Re}\frac{1}{1-pe^{in\theta}} = \frac{1-p\cos\theta}{1-2p\cos\theta+p^2}.$$

•
$$\operatorname{Im} \frac{1}{1 - pe^{in\theta}} = \frac{p\sin\theta}{1 - 2p\cos\theta + p^2}.$$

•
$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} p^n \cos n\theta = \frac{1-p\cos\theta}{1-2p\cos\theta+p^2}.$$

•
$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} p^n \sin n\theta = \frac{p \sin \theta}{1 - 2p \cos \theta + p^2}.$$

•
$$e^z = e^{x+iy} = e^x e^{iy} = e^x (\cos y + i \sin y).$$

•
$$e^{-z} = e^{-x}e^{-iy} = e^{-x}(\cos y - i\sin y).$$

•
$$e^{iz} = e^{i(x+iy)} = e^{-y}e^{ix} = e^{-y}(\cos x + i\sin x).$$

•
$$e^{-iz} = e^{-i(x+iy)} = e^y e^{-ix} = e^y (\cos x - i \sin x).$$

•
$$\cos iz = \frac{e^{i(iz)} + e^{-i(iz)}}{2} = \cosh z.$$

•
$$\sin iz = \frac{e^{i(iz)} - e^{-i(iz)}}{2i} = i \sinh z.$$

•
$$\cosh iz = \frac{e^{(iz)} + e^{-(iz)}}{2} = \cos z.$$

•
$$\sinh iz = \frac{e^{(iz)} - e^{-(iz)}}{2} = i \sin z.$$

- $\sin(x + iy) = \sin x \cosh y + i \cos x \sinh y$.
- $\cos(x+iy) = \cos x \cosh y i \sin x \sinh y$.
- $\cosh^2 y \sinh^2 y = 1.$

•
$$|\sin(x+iy)|^2 = \sin^2 x + \sinh^2 y.$$

•
$$|\cos(x+iy)|^2 = \cos^2 x + \sinh^2 y$$

•
$$\forall x \in R \sin^2 x \leq 1.$$

- $\forall x \mid \sin(x+iy) \mid^2 \ge 1 \text{ if } \mid y \mid > \ln(1+\sqrt{2}).$
- $|\sin z| \ge |\sin x|$.
- $|\cos z| \ge |\cos x|.$

- $\sinh(x+iy) = \sinh x \cos y + i \cosh x \sin y$.
- $\cosh(x + iy) = \cosh x \cos y + i \sin x \sinh y.$
- $|\sinh(x+iy)|^2 = \sinh^2 x + \sin^2 y.$
- $|\cosh(x+iy)|^2 = \cosh^2 x + \cos^2 y.$

- $\sin \theta = 2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2}$.
- $\cos \theta = 1 2\sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} = 2\cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} 1.$
- $\tan \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{1 \cos \theta}{\sin \theta}$.
- $\tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{1 \cos \theta}{1 + \cos \theta}$.
- $\sinh x = 2 \sinh \frac{x}{2} \cosh \frac{x}{2}$.
- $\cosh x = 2\sinh^2 \frac{x}{2} + 1 = 2\cosh^2 \frac{x}{2} 1.$

•
$$\tanh \frac{x}{2} = \frac{\cosh x - 1}{\sinh x}$$
.

• $\tanh^2 \frac{x}{2} = \frac{\cosh x - 1}{\cosh x + 1}.$

- $|(\cosh z) \pm 1|^2 = (\cosh x \cos y \pm 1)^2 + (\sinh x \sin y)^2 = (\cosh x \pm \cos y)^2.$
- $[(\cosh z) \pm 1][(\cosh z) \mp 1]^* = (\sinh x \mp i \sin y)^2.$

•
$$\tanh^2 \frac{z}{2} = \left(\frac{\sinh x + i \sin y}{\cosh x + \cos y}\right)^2$$

•
$$\operatorname{coth}^2 \frac{z}{2} = \left(\frac{\sinh x - i \sin y}{\cosh x - \cos y}\right)^2$$

Square root Solve $z^2 = Re^{i\Theta}$

$$z = re^{i\theta}$$

$$z^{2} = r^{2}e^{in\theta} = Re^{i(\Theta + 2k\pi)}$$

$$r = \sqrt{R}$$

$$\theta = \frac{\Theta}{2}, \frac{\Theta}{2} + \pi$$

$$z_{1} = \sqrt{R}e^{i\frac{\Theta}{2}}, z_{2} = \sqrt{R}e^{i\left(\frac{\Theta}{2} + \pi\right)}$$

- Solve $z^2 = 1$.
- Solve $z^2 = -1$.
- Solve $z^2 = i$.

N-th root

Solve $z^n = Re^{i\Theta}$

$$z = re^{i\theta}$$

$$z^{n} = r^{n}e^{in\theta} = Re^{i(\Theta+2k\pi)}$$

$$r = R^{1/n}$$

$$\theta = \frac{\Theta+2k\pi}{n}, \ k = 0, 1, \cdots, n-1$$

- Solve $z^3 = 1$.
- Solve $z^4 = -1$.
- Solve $z^5 = i$.

Logarithm

$$\ln z = \ln \left[r e^{i(\theta + 2n\pi)} \right]$$

= $\ln r + i(\theta + 2n\pi) \rightarrow \text{multi} - \text{valued}$
 $\operatorname{cut} (\theta_0 - \pi < \theta < \theta_0 + \pi) \text{ is needed}$
= $\ln r \rightarrow \text{principal value}$
 $e^{\ln z} = e^{\ln \left[r e^{i(\theta + 2n\pi)} \right]}$

$$e^{\ln z} = e^{\ln \left[re^{i(\theta+2n\pi)}\right]}$$
$$= e^{\ln r+i(\theta+2n\pi)}$$
$$= e^{\ln r}e^{i(\theta+2n\pi)}$$
$$= re^{i\theta} = z$$

Cauchy-Riemann condition If f(z) is differentiable

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= \frac{df}{dz} = \lim_{\delta z \to 0} \frac{f(z + \delta z) - f(z)}{\delta z} \\ &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \lim_{\delta x \to 0} \frac{f(z + \delta x) - f(z)}{\delta x} \\ &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial (iy)} = \lim_{\delta y \to 0} \frac{f(z + i\delta y) - f(z)}{i\delta y} \end{aligned}$$

What happens if

f'

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \neq \frac{\partial f}{\partial (iy)}?$$

Laplace equation and Harmonic function: Consider a differentiable function f(z);

$$f(z) = u(z) + iv(z), \ f_a \equiv \frac{\partial f}{\partial a}$$

• Show that $u_x = v_y$, $u_y = -v_x$.

• Show that
$$u_{xx} = v_{yx} = v_{xy} = -u_{yy} \rightarrow \nabla^2 u = 0$$

•
$$v_{yy} = u_{xy} = v_{yx} = -v_{xx} \rightarrow \nabla^2 v = 0$$

- *u* and *v* are harmonic functions; solutions to 2-d Laplace equation; potential function.
- Show that the two 2-dimensional vectors (u_x, v_y) and (u_y, v_x) are orthogonal; $u_x u_y + v_x v_y = 0$.

Analytic function: A function is analytic at $z = z_0$; If the function is differentiable at $z = z_0$ and in some small region around z_0 . Entire function: Analytic everywhere.

- Show that f(z) = z is analytic. (u = x, v = y)
- Show that $f(z) = \operatorname{Re}(z)$ is not analytic. (u = x, v = 0)
- Show that f(z) = Im(z) is not analytic. (u = 0, v = y)
- Show that $f(z) = z^*$ is not analytic. (u = x, v = -y)
- Show that $f(z) = z^2$ is analytic. $(u = x^2 y^2, v = 2xy)$
- Show that $f(z) = |z|^2 = zz^*$ is not analytic. $(u = x^2 + y^2, v = 0)$

- f(z) = u + iv and g(z) = u' + iv' are analytic. Using Cauchy-Rieman conditions for f(z) and g(z), show that h(z) = f(z) + g(z) = U + iV is also analytic. (U = u + u', V = v + v')
- f(z) = u + iv and g(z) = u' + iv' are analytic. Using Cauchy-Rieman conditions for f(z) and g(z), show that h(z) = f(z)g(z) = U + iV is also analytic. (U = uu' - vv', V = uv' + vu')
- Using above result, show that $[f(z)]^n$ is analytic if f(z) is analytic.
- Show that z^n is analytic.

Constant electric field along the x-axis

$$\Phi(z) = \phi(z) + i\psi(z) = -E_0 z$$

$$E = -\nabla\phi = -\phi_x \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \phi_y \hat{\mathbf{y}}, \quad \nabla^2 \phi = -\nabla \cdot E = 0$$

$$E_x = -\phi_x, \quad E_y = -\phi_y$$

$$\frac{d\Phi(z)}{dz} = -E_0$$

= $\phi_x + i\psi_x = \phi_x - i\phi_y = -E_x + iE_y$
 $E_x = -\operatorname{Re}\frac{d\Phi(z)}{dz} = E_0$
 $E_y = +\operatorname{Im}\frac{d\Phi(z)}{dz} = 0$

E field along a long charged wire

$$\oint \boldsymbol{E} \cdot d\boldsymbol{A} = \frac{Q}{\varepsilon_0} \leftarrow Q = \lambda L$$

$$\boldsymbol{E} = \frac{\lambda}{2\pi\varepsilon_0} \frac{\boldsymbol{r}}{r^2}, \ E_x = \frac{\lambda}{2\pi\varepsilon_0} \frac{x}{r^2}, \ E_y = \frac{\lambda}{2\pi\varepsilon_0} \frac{y}{r^2}$$

$$\frac{d\Phi(z)}{dz} = -E_x + iE_y = \frac{\lambda}{2\pi\varepsilon_0} \frac{-z^*}{|z|^2} = -\frac{\lambda}{2\pi\varepsilon_0} \frac{1}{z}$$

$$\Phi(z) = -\frac{\lambda}{2\pi\varepsilon_0} \int \frac{dz}{z} = -\frac{\lambda}{2\pi\varepsilon_0} \ln z$$

$$= -\frac{\lambda}{2\pi\varepsilon_0} (\ln r + i\theta)$$

$$\phi = \operatorname{Re}\Phi = -\frac{\lambda}{2\pi\varepsilon_0} \ln r$$

B field around a long wire

$$\begin{split} \Phi(z) &= \phi(z) + i\psi(z) = \phi + iA(z) \\ \mathbf{B} &= \nabla \times \mathbf{A} = \hat{\mathbf{x}}B_x + \hat{\mathbf{y}}B_y, \quad \mathbf{A} = \hat{\mathbf{z}}A(x,y) \\ \nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} &= 0 = \nabla(\nabla \cdot A) - \nabla^2 \mathbf{A} = 0 \to \nabla^2 A = 0 \\ B_x &= \frac{\partial A}{\partial y} = -\frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi} \frac{y}{r^2}, \quad B_y = -\frac{\partial A}{\partial x} = \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi} \frac{x}{r^2} \\ \frac{d\Phi(z)}{dz} &= \frac{\partial A}{\partial y} + i\frac{\partial A}{\partial x} = B_x - iB_y \\ &= \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi} \frac{(-y - ix)}{r^2} = -i\frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi} \frac{x - iy}{r^2} = -i\frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi z} \\ \Phi &= -i\frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi} \ln z, \quad A = \mathrm{Im}\Phi = -\frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi} \ln r \end{split}$$

A stupid way to show that z^n is analytic

$$z^{n} = (x + iy)^{n} = u + iv$$

$$u = \sum_{k=0}^{2k \le n} \frac{(-1)^{k} n!}{(2k)!(n - 2k)!} x^{n-2k} y^{2k}$$

$$v = \sum_{k=0}^{2k+1 \le n} \frac{(-1)^{k} n!}{(2k+1)!(n - 2k - 1)!} x^{n-2k-1} y^{2k+1}$$

$$u_{x} = v_{y} = \sum_{k=0}^{2k+1 \le n} \frac{(-1)^{k} n!}{(2k)!(n - 2k - 1)!} x^{n-2k-1} y^{2k}$$

$$u_{y} = -v_{x} = \sum_{k=0}^{2k \le n} \frac{(-1)^{k} n!}{(2k - 1)!(n - 2k)!} x^{n-2k} y^{2k-1}$$

z^* is NOT differentiable

$$z^* = x - iy = u + iv \rightarrow u = x, v = -y$$

 $u_x = 1 \neq v_y = -1, u_y = -v_x = 0$

1/z

$$\frac{1}{z} = \frac{z^*}{|z|^2} = u + iv, \quad u = \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2}, \quad v = -\frac{y}{x^2 + y^2}$$
$$u_x = \frac{-2x^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} + \frac{1}{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{y^2 - x^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}$$
$$v_y = \frac{2y^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} - \frac{1}{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{y^2 - x^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \rightarrow u_x = v_y$$
$$u_y = \frac{-2xy}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}$$
$$v_x = \frac{2xy}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} \rightarrow u_y = -v_x$$

However, the fuction is not defined at z = 0.

Elementary functions Explain why the following functions are analytic and prove the equalities.

$$z^{n} = \text{differentiable}$$

$$e^{z} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^{n}}{n!}$$

$$\sin z = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-1)^{n} \frac{z^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!}$$

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

$$\ln(1+z) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-1)^{n} \frac{z^{n}}{n}, |z| < 1$$

Prove

$$\frac{d}{dz}z^n = nz^{n-1}$$
$$\frac{d}{dz}e^z = e^z$$
$$\frac{d}{dz}\sin z = \cos z$$
$$\frac{d}{dz}\cos z = -\sin z$$
$$\frac{d}{dz}\ln(1+z) = \frac{1}{1+z}, |z| < 1$$

Homework set 2: (due: Sep. 25, 2004)

- 1. (6.1.14) Find all the zeros of (a) $\sin z$, (b) $\cos z$, (c) $\sinh z$, (d) $\cosh z$.
- 2. (6.1.15) Show that (a) $\sin^{-1} z = -i \ln \left(iz \pm \sqrt{1 - z^2} \right)$ (b) $\sinh^{-1} z = \ln \left(z \pm \sqrt{z^2 + 1} \right)$ (c) $\cos^{-1} z = -i \ln \left(iz \pm \sqrt{1 - z^2} \right)$ (d) $\cosh^{-1} z = \ln \left(z \pm \sqrt{z^2 - 1} \right)$ (e) $\tan^{-1} z = \frac{i}{2} \ln \left(\frac{i+z}{i-z} \right)$ (f) $\tanh^{-1} z = \frac{1}{2} \ln \left(\frac{1+z}{1-z} \right).$ 3. (6.1.20) Show that

- (a) $e^{\ln z}$ always equals z.
- (b) $\ln e^z$ does not always equals z.
- 4. (6.2.3) Having shown that the real part u(x, y) and the imaginary part v(x, y) of an analytic function w(z) each satisfy Laplace's equation, show that u(x, y) and v(x, y) cannot both have either a maximum or a minimum in the interior of any region in which w(x, y) is analytic. They can have saddle points.
- 5. (6.2.4) Let $A = w_{xx}$, $B = w_{xy}$, and $C = w_{yy}$. From the calculus of functions of two variables, w(x, y), we have a saddle point if $B^2 AC > 0$. With f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y), apply the Cauchy-Riemann conditions and show that both

u(x, y) and v(x, y) do not have a maximum or a minimum in a finite region of the complex plain.

- 6. (6.2.7) The function f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y) is analytic. Show that $[f(z^*)]^*$ is also analytic.
- 7. (6.2.8) A proof of the Schwarz inequality involves minimizing an expression

$$f = \psi_{aa} + \lambda^* \psi_{ab} + \lambda \psi_{ab}^* + \lambda \psi_{bb} \ge 0.$$

The ψ are integrals of products of functions; ψ_{aa} and ψ_{bb} are real, ψ_{ab} is complex, and λ is a complex parameter.

 Differentiate the preceding expression with respect to λ*, treating λ as an independent parameter, independent of λ*. Show that setting the derivative ∂f/∂λ* equal to zero yields $\lambda = -\psi_{ab}^*/\psi_{bb}$.

- Show that $\partial f/\partial \lambda = 0$ leads to the same result.
- Let $\lambda = x + iy$, $\lambda^* = x iy$. Set the x and y derivatives equal to zero and show that again $\lambda = -\psi_{ab}^*/\psi_{bb}$.

6.3 Cauchy's Integral Theorem Integral exists if its value is independent of the path

$$\int_{z_1}^{z_2} dz f(z) = \int_{x_1+iy_1}^{x_2+iy_2} [u+iv][dx+idy]$$
$$= \int_{x_1+iy_1}^{x_2+iy_2} [udx-vdy]$$
$$+ i \int_{x_1+iy_1}^{x_2+iy_2} [vdx+udy]$$
$$= F(z_2) - F(z_1)$$

Cauchy integral for powers: Consider a path C on a circle of radius r, where the center is the origin. We integrate z^n over the circle from z = r through $z = re^{i2\pi}$.

- Show that the point on the path is $z = re^{i\theta}$, and $dz = ire^{i\theta}d\theta$, where the θ is the polar angle.
- Show that $\int_C z^n dz = 0 \forall$ integer $n \neq 1$.

• Show that
$$\int_C \frac{dz}{z} = 2\pi i$$
.

- Show that $\int_C \frac{dz}{z-z_0} = 0 \ \forall z_0$ such that $|z-z_0| > r$.
- Show that $\int_C dz (z-z_0)^n = 0 \ \forall n \text{ and } \forall z_0 \text{ such that } |z-z_0| > r.$

If |z| > 0, z^n is analytic for any integer n C : circle of radius r, $z = re^{i\theta}$, $dz = ire^{i\theta}d\theta$ $n \neq -1$ $\int_C dz z^n dz = ir^{n+1} \int_0^{2\pi} e^{i(n+1)\theta} d\theta = \frac{r^{n+1}}{n+1} \left[e^{i(n+1)2\pi} - 1\right]$ $= \left[\frac{z^{n+1}}{n+1}\right]_r^{re^{2\pi i}} = 0$

$$\int_C \frac{dz}{z} dz = i \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta = 2\pi i$$
$$= \ln(re^{2\pi i}) - \ln r = 2\pi i$$

- Show that $\int_{x_1}^{x_2} f(x) dx = -\int_{x_2}^{x_1} f(x) dx$.
- Show that $\int_{x_1}^{x_2} f(x, y) dx = \int_{x_2}^{x_1} f(x, y) dx$.
- Show that $\int_{z_1}^{z_2} f(z)dz = -\int_{z_2}^{z_1} f(z)dz$. Hint: Rewrite the integral in terms of the integrals of real variables x and y.
- For any contour encircling z = 0 once counterclockwise, $\frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint z^{m-n-1} dz = \delta_{mn}$, for integers m, n

Cauchy's integral theorem

If f(z) is analytic and its partial derivatives are continuous throughout some simply connected region R, for every closed path C in R the integral of f(z) around C vanishes or

$$\oint_C f(z) \, dz = 0$$

Proof using Stoke's theorem

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{V} &= \hat{\mathbf{x}} V_x + \hat{\mathbf{y}} V_y \\ \oint_C \mathbf{V} \cdot d\mathbf{s} &= \int_A \mathbf{\nabla} \times \mathbf{V} \cdot d\mathbf{A} \\ \oint_C (V_x dx + V_y dy) &= \int_A \left(\frac{\partial V_y}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial V_x}{\partial y} \right) dx \, dy \end{aligned}$$

if $(V_x, V_y) &= (u, -v), \quad \oint_C (u dx - v dy) = -\int_A (v_x + u_y) dx \, dy$

if
$$(V_x, V_y) = (v, u)$$
, $\oint_C (vdx + udy) = \int_A (u_x - v_y)dx dy$

It's like a conservative force

$$\oint_C f(z)dz = \oint_C (udx - vdy) + i \oint (udy + vdx)$$

$$= \int_A [-(v_x + u_y) + i(u_x - v_y)] dx dy = 0$$

$$\leftarrow \text{Cauchy} - \text{Riemann condition} \leftarrow \text{analytic}$$

$$\oint_C f(z)dz = \int_{z_1}^{z_2} f(z)dz + \int_{z_2}^{z_1} f(z)dz$$

$$= 0$$

$$\int_{z_1}^{z_2} f(z)dz = F(z_2) - F(z_1)$$

F(z) is like a potential

Simply connected region We take a contour C. If f(z) is analytic $\forall z \in R$ such that $C = \partial R$, where ∂R is the boundary of R, R is simply connected. For all $C' \subset R$, $\oint_C f(z)dz = \oint_{C'} f(z)dz = 0$ Multiply connected region f(z) is analytic in R. If there is a path $C \subset R$ such that the region surouded by the C contains a region R', where f(z) is not analytic, the region R is multiply connected. **Application** Consider a contour C and C' which encircle the same region R' and $C \not\subset R'$ and $C' \not\subset R'$, where f(z) is not analytic in R' and f(z) is analytic in $(R')^c$. Choose two very close points $A, B \in C$ and $A', B' \in C$ and draw paths L from A to B and L' from A' to B'. Let L and L' approaches arbitrarily closely and $L \cap L' = \emptyset$.

- Show that $\int_{AB} f(z)dz \to 0$ and $\int_{A'B'} f(z)dz \to 0$.
- Show that $\oint_C f(z)dz = \oint_{C-AB} f(z)dz$ and $\oint_{C'} f(z)dz = \oint_{C'-A'B'} f(z)dz$.
- Show that $\oint_{AA'} f(z)dz = \oint_{B'B} f(z)dz = 0.$
- Draw a closed path in a simply connected region combining open curves passing A, B, A', B' along C AB, C' A'B', L, and $L' \rightarrow -L$.

$$\oint_{C+C'+L-L} f(z)dz = \left[\int_C + \int_{-C'} + \int_L + \int_{-L}\right] f(z)dz = 0$$
$$\int_C f(z)dz - \int_{C'} f(z)dz + \int_L f(z)dz - \int_L f(z)dz = 0$$
$$\oint_C f(z)dz = \oint_{C'} f(z)dz$$

6.4 Cauchy's integral formula

If f(z) is analytic in R within a boundary contour C

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(z)}{z - z_0} dz = \begin{cases} f(z_0) \leftarrow \text{ if } z_0 \text{ is enclosed by } C. \\ 0 \leftarrow \text{ if } z_0 \text{ is not enclosed by } C. \end{cases}$$

- Show that ¹/_{z²+1} is analytic inside ∀C which is parametrized as C = {z = re^{iθ} | r < 1}. Therefore the region inside C is simply connected.
- Show that $\oint_C \frac{1}{z^2+1} = 0 \quad \forall C$ which is parametrized as $C = \{z = re^{i\theta} \mid r < 1\}.$

If f(z) is analytic in R within a boundary contour C

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_{C_1} \frac{f(z)}{z - z_0} dz = 0 \leftarrow \frac{f(z)}{z - z_0} \text{ is analytic inside } C_1$$

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_{C_2} \frac{f(z)}{z - z_0} dz = \oint_{z = z_0 + re^{i\theta}} \frac{f(z)}{z - z_0} dz$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \lim_{r \to 0} \int \frac{f(z_0 + re^{i\theta})}{re^{i\theta}} re^{i\theta} id\theta$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \lim_{r \to 0} f(z_0) \int_0^{2\pi} id\theta = f(z_0)$$

n-th Derivatives If f(z) is analytic in R within a boundary contour $C = \partial R$. $\forall w$ such that $w \in R$ and $w \notin C$ show that

$$f(w) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(z)}{z - w} dz.$$

$$F'(w) \equiv \lim_{\delta \to 0} \frac{f(w+\delta) - f(w)}{\delta}$$

$$= \lim_{\delta \to 0} \frac{1}{2\pi i \delta} \left[\oint_C \frac{f(z)}{z - (w+\delta)} dz - \oint_C \frac{f(z)}{z - w} dz \right]$$

$$= \lim_{\delta \to 0} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(z)}{[z - (w+\delta)][z - w]} dz$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(z)}{(z - w)^2} dz.$$

f(z) is analytic on and within a closed contour C.

• Show that

$$\oint_C \frac{f'(z)}{z-z_0} dz = 2\pi i f''(z_0).$$

• Show that

$$f''(z_0) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(z)}{(z-z_0)^2} dz \quad \forall z_0 \text{ enclosed by } C.$$

• Therefore

$$\oint_C \frac{f'(z)}{z - z_0} dz = \oint_C \frac{f(z)}{(z - z_0)^2} dz \quad \forall z_0 \text{ enclosed by } C.$$

*n***-th Derivatives** f(z) is analytic on and within a closed contour C. $f^{(n)}$ is the *n*-th derivative of f(z).

• Check if

$$\frac{0!}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(z)}{(z-z_0)^1} dz = f(z_0).$$

• Assume

$$\frac{n!}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(z)}{(z-z_0)^{n+1}} dz = f^{(n)}(z_0).$$

• Show that

$$\frac{(n+1)!}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(z)}{(z-z_0)^{n+2}} dz = f^{(n+1)}(z_0).$$

• Hint: Show that

$$f^{(n+1)}(z_0) = \lim_{\delta \to 0} \frac{f^{(n)}(z_0 + \delta) - f^{(n)}(z_0)}{\delta}$$

and use

$$f^{(n)}(z_0) = \frac{n!}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(z)}{(z-z_0)^{n+1}} dz.$$

You must know $(1/z^n)' = -n/z^{n+1}$ for $z \neq 0$.

• Therefore, by mathematical induction, $\forall n \ge 0$

$$\frac{n!}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(z)}{(z-z_0)^{n+1}} dz = f^{(n)}(z_0).$$

6.4.7 Legendre polynomial Now we know that for any analytic function f(z) within the contour C surrounding z_0

$$f^{(n)}(z_0) = \frac{n!}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(z)}{(z-z_0)^{n+1}} dz$$

Show that Legendre's polynomial $P_n(x)$ is expressed as

$$P_n(x) = \frac{1}{2^n n!} \frac{d^n}{dx^n} (x^2 - 1)^n = \frac{(-1)^n}{2^n n!} \frac{n!}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{(1 - z^2)^n}{(z - x)^{n+1}} dz$$
$$= \frac{(-1)^n}{2^n} \cdot \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{(1 - z^2)^n}{(z - x)^{n+1}} dz$$

where the contour encloses x once in a positive sense. This is called Schläfli's integral representation for the $P_n(x)$.

Legendre's integral representation Choose the contour C as a cicle around x with radius $\sqrt{1-x^2}$ so that $z = x + ie^{i\phi}\sqrt{1-x^2}$, where $0 < \phi < 2\pi$. Show that

•
$$dz = -\sqrt{1-x^2}e^{i\phi}d\phi = i(z-x)d\phi.$$

•
$$z^2 - 1 = 2(z - x) \left(x + i\sqrt{1 - x^2} \cos \phi \right).$$

$$P_{n}(x) = \frac{1}{2^{n} \cdot 2\pi i} \oint_{C} \frac{(z^{2} - 1)^{n}}{(z - x)^{n+1}} dz$$
$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{0}^{2\pi} (x + i\sqrt{1 - x^{2}}\cos\phi)^{n} d\phi,$$
$$P_{n}(\cos\theta) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{0}^{\pi} (\cos\theta + i\sin\theta\cos\phi)^{n} d\phi.$$

This is called Legendre's integral representation for the $P_n(x)$.

Generating function for the Legendre's polynomial Change the integration variable into $t = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta \cos \phi$.

• Show that t runs from $e^{-i\theta}$ to $e^{i\theta}$ and

$$d\phi = \frac{dt}{i\sin\theta\cos\theta} = \frac{dt}{i\sqrt{t^2 - 2t\cos\theta + 1}}$$

• Show that

$$P_n(\cos\theta) = \frac{1}{\pi i} \int_{e^{-i\theta}}^{e^{i\theta}} dz \frac{z^n}{\sqrt{z^2 - 2z\cos\theta + 1}}$$

• Next We will show that

$$g(t,\cos\theta) \equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{t^2 - 2t\cos\theta + 1}} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} t^n P_n(\cos\theta).$$

This is called Legendre's integral representation for the $P_n(x)$.

Consider -1 < x < 1, 0 < t < 1, and $z \in C = \{e^{i\theta} \mid 0 \le \theta < 2\pi\}$ so that C encloses x

- Show that the three points -1, z, 1 make a right triangle and the area is $|1 - z^2|/2 = \text{Im}(z)$.
- Show that $|z x| \ge \text{Im}(z)$ and therefore $\left|\frac{t(z^2 1)}{2(z x)}\right| < 1$.
- Using $P_n(x) = \frac{1}{2^n \cdot 2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{(z^2 1)^n}{(z x)^{n+1}} dz$ and above results, show that the following infinite series is convergent as

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} t^n P_n(x) = -\frac{1}{t\pi i} \oint_C \frac{dz}{(z-z_+)(z-z_-)}$$

where $z_{\pm} = \frac{1}{t} \left(1 \pm \sqrt{1-2xt+t^2} \right).$

 Show that only z₋ is within the contour and the integral becomes

$$g(t,x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} t^n P_n(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - 2xt + t^2}}$$

We have derived the closed form of the generating function for Legendre's polynomials. Homework set 3: (due: Oct. 9, 2004)

- 1. Using the Schwarz inequality to prove $\left|\int_{C} f(z)dz\right| \leq |f_{\max}|L$, where $|f(z)| \leq |f_{\max}| \quad \forall z \in C$ and L is the length of the path C. We will make use of this result frequently.
- 2. We learned that z^* is not analytic. We will find the integral of z^* may depend on the path. Show that $\int_0^{1+i} z^* dz$ depends on the path. a) Integrate along $C_1 = t$ and then $C_2 = 1 + it$, where 0 < t < 1. b) Integrate along $C_1 = it$ and then $C_2 = t + i$, where 0 < t < 1.

3. a) Show that
$$\oint_C \frac{dz}{z(1+z)} = 0$$
 if C is $z = re^{i\theta}$, $0 < \theta < 2\pi$ and $r < 1$. b) Show that $\oint_C \frac{dz}{z(1+z)} = 2\pi i$ if C is $z = re^{i\theta}$, $0 < \theta < 2\pi$ and $r < 1$.

4. Show that

a) $P_n(x) = \frac{1}{2^{\ell}\ell!} \frac{d^{\ell}}{dx^{\ell}} (x^2 - 1)^{\ell}$ is the solution to the Legendre's differential equation

$$\frac{d}{dx}\left[(1-x^2)\frac{d}{dx}P_\ell(x)\right] + \ell(\ell+1)P_\ell(x) = 0.$$

b) Replacing $x = \cos \theta$, show that the Legendre's equation is equivalent to

$$-\frac{1}{\sin\theta}\frac{d}{d\theta}\left[\sin\theta\frac{d}{d\theta}P_{\ell}(\cos\theta)\right] = \ell(\ell+1)P_{\ell}(\cos\theta).$$

c) Show that in the spherical coordinate system

$$\nabla = \hat{r}\frac{\partial}{\partial r} + \hat{\theta}\frac{1}{r}\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} + \hat{\phi}\frac{1}{r\sin\theta}\frac{\partial}{\partial \phi},$$

$$L_z = -i\frac{\partial}{\partial \phi},$$

$$L^2 = -\frac{1}{\sin\theta}\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta}\left[\sin\theta\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta}\right] - \frac{1}{\sin^2\theta}\frac{\partial}{\partial \phi^2}.$$

and $P_n(\cos \theta)$ is the eigenfunction for the orbital angular momentum $j = \ell$ and $j_z = 0$.

- 5. Prove Morera's Theorem: If a function f(z) is continuous in a simply connected region R and $\oint_C f(z)dz = 0 \forall$ closed contour C within R, then f(z) is analytic throughout R.
- 6. Prove Cauchy's inequality: If $f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n$ is analytic

and bounded, $|f(z)| \leq M$ on a circle of radius r about the origin, then

 $|a_n|r^n \le M$

gives upper bounds for the coefficients of its Taylor series expansion.

- 7. Prove Liouville's theorem: If f(z) is analytic and bounded in the complex plain, it is a constant function.
- 8. Using Liouville's theorem, prove the fundamental theorem of algebra: Any poplynomial $P(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{n} a_k z^k$ with n > 0 and $a_n \neq 0$ has n roots.

6.3 Laurent Expansion Taylor Expansion If f(z) is analytic inside the contour C

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(w)dw}{w-z} = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(w)dw}{(w-z_0) - (z-z_0)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(w)dw}{(w-z_0) \left[1 - \frac{z-z_0}{w-z_0}\right]}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(w)}{(w-z_0)} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{z-z_0}{w-z_0}\right)^n dw$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (z-z_0)^n \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(w)dw}{(w-z_0)^{n+1}}$$

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

- Show that $\ln(1+z) = -\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{z^n}{n}$.
- Show that $\forall m \in R \text{ and } |z| < 1$,

$$(1+z)^{m} = 1 + mz + \frac{m(m-1)}{2 \cdot 1} z^{2} + \frac{m(m-1)(m-2)}{3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1} z^{2} + \cdots$$
$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} {\binom{m}{n}} z^{n},$$

where
$$\binom{m}{n}$$
 is $\frac{m!(m-n)!}{n!}$ generalized into the real numbers.

Schwarz reflection principle

- Consider a complex function $g(z) = (z x_0)^n$, where x_0 and n are real numbers. Using binominal expansion generalized to real powers, show that $[g(z)]^* = (z^* x_0)^n = g(z^*)$.
- Consider a function which is analytic around $x_0 \in R$. Show that the Talyor expansion near the point $f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (z - x_0)^n f^{(n)}(x_0)/n!$ exists.
- Show that if the function is real if z is real, then $f^{(n)}(x_0)$ is real $\forall n$ and, therefore, $[f(z)]^* = f(z^*)$.

Using Schwarz reflection principle,

- Show that $[e^z]^* = e^{z^*}$.
- Show that $[\sin z]^* = \sin(z^*)$.
- Show that $[\ln(1+z)]^* = \ln(1+z^*)$.

Analytic continuation $(1+z)^{-1}$ is NOT analytic at z = -1.

- Show that the series expansion $(1+z)^{-1} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-z)^n = 1 - z + z^2 - z^3 + \cdots$ converges for |z| < 1. Hint: Calculate $\sum_{n=0}^{N} (-1)^n z^n$ and take limit $n \to \infty$.
- Above expansion is around z = 0. We know the function is analytic $\forall z \neq -1$. Let us expand the function around $z_0 \neq -1$ as well as $z_0 \neq 0$.

$$\frac{1}{1+z} = \frac{1}{(1+z_0) + (z-z_0)} = \frac{1}{(1+z_0) \left[1 + \frac{z-z_0}{1+z_0}\right]}$$
$$= \frac{1}{1+z_0} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{z-z_0}{1+z_0}\right)^n$$

• Show the series converges if $|z - z_0| < |1 + z_0|$.

Laurent expansion Even if f(z) is singular at z_0 , we can expand f(z) in terms of $(z - z_0)^n$ in an analytic region between C_1 and C_2 , where f(z) is not analytic in R' such that $z_0 \in R'$ and C_2 encloses R'. A larger contour C_1 encloses both R' and C_2 . If f(z) is analytic in the region R between C_1 and C_2 .

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

The series is called Laurent series. Let us derive the explicit form of the series.

derivation Let us evaluate the integral S_1 along the larger closed contour C_1 . We choose $w \in C_1$ and $z \in R$ so that $|w - z_0| > |z - z_0| \rightarrow \frac{|z - z_0|}{|w - z_0|} < 1$. Show that the integral is expressed as a convergent power series;

$$S_{1} = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_{C_{1}} \frac{f(w)dw}{w-z} = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_{C} \frac{f(w)dw}{(w-z_{0}) - (z-z_{0})}$$
$$= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_{C} \frac{f(w)dw}{(w-z_{0}) \left[1 - \frac{z-z_{0}}{w-z_{0}}\right]}$$
$$= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_{C} \frac{f(w)}{(w-z_{0})} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{z-z_{0}}{w-z_{0}}\right)^{n} dw$$
$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (z-z_{0})^{n} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_{C} \frac{f(w)dw}{(w-z_{0})^{n+1}}.$$

Next, we evaluate the integral S_2 along the smaller closed contour C_2 . We choose $w \in C_2$ and $z \in R$ so that $|z - z_0| > |w - z_0| \rightarrow \frac{|w - z_0|}{|z - z_0|} < 1$. Show that the integral is expressed as a convergent power series;

$$S_{2} = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_{C_{2}} \frac{f(w)dw}{z - w} = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_{C} \frac{f(w)dw}{(z - z_{0}) - (w - z_{0})}$$
$$= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_{C} \frac{f(w)dw}{(z - z_{0}) \left[1 - \frac{w - z_{0}}{z - z_{0}}\right]}$$
$$= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \oint_{C} \frac{(w - z_{0})^{n-1}}{(z - z_{0})^{n+1}} f(w)dw$$
$$= \sum_{n=-1}^{-\infty} (z - z_{0})^{n} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_{C} \frac{f(w)dw}{(w - z_{0})^{n+1}}$$

• Show that the sum $S_1 - S_2$ is the contour integral surrounding a simply connected region including z. Thus

$$f(z) = S_1 - S_2 = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \left[\oint_{C_1} \frac{f(w)dw}{w - z} - \oint_{C_2} \frac{f(w)dw}{w - z} \right]$$

• Therefore,

$$f(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} (z-z_0)^n \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(w)dw}{(w-z_0)^{n+1}},$$

where the contour C is again enclosing multiply connected region including z_0 and between C_1 and C_2 . **Example 6.5.1**: The function 1/[z(1-z)] is not analytic at both z = 0 and z = 1. But the function is analytic elsewhere such as 0 < |z| < 1. We want to find the Laurent expansion, for example, around z = 0:

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{z(1-z)} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} a_n (z-0)^n$$

Choosing the contour $C = \{w \mid 0 < |w| < 1\},\$

$$a_n = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{1}{w(1-w)} \frac{dw}{(w-0)^{n+1}} = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{dw}{w^{n+2}(1-w)}$$
$$= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C w^k \frac{dw}{w^{n+2}} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{dw}{w^{(n+1-k)+1}}$$
$$= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \delta_{n+1,k} = \begin{cases} 1 \text{ if } n \ge -1\\ 0 \text{ if } n < -1 \end{cases}$$
$$f(z) = \frac{1}{z} + 1 + z + z^2 + \cdots$$

Taylor or Laurent

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{1-z}$$

for $|z| < 1$
$$f(z) = 1 + z + z^2 + z^3 + \dots = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} z^n$$

for
$$|z| > 1$$

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

Series expansion examples

$$e^{z} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^{n}}{n!} \text{ for all } z$$

$$f(z) = \frac{e^{z}}{z} \leftarrow \text{ around } z = 0$$

$$= \frac{1}{z} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^{n}}{n!} = \frac{1}{z} + 1 + \frac{z}{2!} + \frac{z^{2}}{3!} + \cdots \text{ for all } z \neq 0$$

$$f(z) = e^{\frac{1}{z}} \leftarrow \text{around } z = \infty$$
$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n! z^n} = 1 + \frac{1}{z} + \frac{1}{2! z^2} + \cdots \text{ for all } z \neq 0$$

Example 6.5.2: Let us find the Laurent series of the function $e^z e^{1/z} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} a_n z^n$.

- Show that $e^z = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n!}$ and $e^{1/z} = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!z^m}$.
- Show that f(z) is analytic except for z = 0 and $z \to \infty$.
- Using f(z) = f(1/z), show that $a_{-n} = a_n$.
- Show that a_0 is finite and $a_0 = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(n!)^2}$.
- Show that a_k is finite and $a_k = a_{-k} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!(n+k)!}$.

•
$$e^{z}e^{1/z} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left[\frac{1}{(n!)^2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!(n+k)!} \left(z^k + \frac{1}{z^k} \right) \right].$$

6.6 Mapping Consider a complex function $f(z) = w = u(x, y) + iv(x, y), \ z = x + iy = re^{i\theta}.$ $z_0 = x_0 + iy_0 = r_0 e^{i\theta_0}.$

- Show that the transform $w = z + z_0$ translates any geometrical object in z-space by z_0 .
- Show that under the transformation w = z₀z a circle of radius r in z-space is transformed into a circle with radius |z₀|r and the phase is shifted by θ₀.

• Show that
$$w = \frac{1}{z} = \frac{1}{r} \cdot e^{i(-\theta)}$$
.

• Show that under the transformation w = 1/z a disc of radius r in z-space is transformed into the outside of a disc with radius 1/r.

Inversion: Consider the inversion

 $w = u + iv = \frac{1}{z}, \quad z = x + iy = re^{i\theta}.$

- Show that if $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$, then $u^2 + v^2 = (1/r)^2$.
- Using $u = x/r^2$ and $u^2 + v^2 = 1/r^2$, show that a vertical lint $x = x_0$ transforms into a cicle

$$\left(u - \frac{1}{2x_0}\right)^2 + v^2 = \left(\frac{1}{2x_0}\right)^2$$

• Using $v = -y/r^2$ and $u^2 + v^2 = 1/r^2$, show that a horizontal line $y = y_0$ transforms into a cicle

$$u^2 + \left(v + \frac{1}{2y_0}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{1}{2y_0}\right)^2$$

Using $z = re^{i\theta}$, show the following

• Show that a circle |z| = r transforms into a ellipsis under $w = u + iv = z \pm \frac{1}{z}$:

$$u + iv = \left(r \pm \frac{1}{r}\right)\cos\theta + i\left(r \mp \frac{1}{r}\right)\sin\theta,$$

$$\frac{u^2}{\left(r \pm \frac{1}{r}\right)^2} + \frac{v^2}{\left(r \mp \frac{1}{r}\right)^2} = 1.$$

• Show that into limit $|z| \to 1$, $w = z + \frac{1}{z} \to u + i0$, where -2 < u < 2.

 $f(z) = z^2 : 2 \rightarrow 1$ Show the following properties of the transformation $f(z) = z^2$.

$$z = x + iy = re^{i\theta}$$

$$w = \rho e^{i\phi} = z^2 = r^2 e^{i(2\theta)}$$

$$0 < \theta < \pi \rightarrow 0 < \phi < 2\pi$$

$$\pi < \theta < 2\pi \rightarrow 2\pi < \phi < 4\pi$$

$$z_0^2 = w \rightarrow (z_0 e^{i\pi})^2 = w, \text{ too}$$

$$z^2 = (x + iy)^2 = (x^2 - y^2) + i(2xy)$$

$$u = x^2 - y^2$$

$$v = 2xy$$

 $f(z) = \sqrt{z} : 1 \to 2$ Show that there are two roots of \sqrt{z} for a single z:

$$z = x + iy = re^{i(\theta + 2k\pi)}, \ k = 0, 1, 2, \cdots$$
$$w = \rho e^{i\phi} = z^{1/2} = \sqrt{r}e^{i(\theta + 2k\pi)/2}$$
$$\phi = \frac{\theta}{2}, \ \frac{\theta}{2} + \pi$$

if
$$0 \le \theta < 2\pi \rightarrow \text{single} - \text{valued}$$

Therefore, the function is multivalued unless we impose a branch cut.

$$f(z) = e^z : \infty \to 1$$

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$$z = x + iy = re^{i(\theta + 2k\pi)}, \ k = 0, 1, 2, \cdots$$
$$w = e^{x + iy} = e^x e^{iy}$$
$$f(z + i2n\pi) = f(z), \ n = \pm 1, \pm 2, \cdots$$
periodic

 $f(z) = \ln z : 1 \to \infty$ Show that there are infinitely many values of $\ln z$ for a single z:

$$z = x + iy = re^{i(\theta + 2k\pi)}, \ k = 0, 1, 2, \cdots$$
$$w = \ln \left(re^{i(\theta + 2n\pi)} \right) = \ln r + i2n\pi, \ n = 0, 1, 2, \cdots$$
need
$$\operatorname{cut}; -\pi < \theta \le +\pi$$
$$\to \text{ single} - \text{ valued}$$

Therefore, the function is multivalued unless we impose a branch cut.

Conformal mapping: Let us consider the mapping $w = z^2$.

- Show that u = a and v = b, where a, b are real constants, transforms into $x^2 + y^2 = a$ and 2xy = b.
- Show that u = a and v = b are orthogonal.
- Show that the normal vector to $x^2 + y^2 = a$ is $(\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}) = (2x, 2y).$
- Show that the normal vector to 2xy = b is $\left(\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}\right) = (2y, 2x)$.
- Show that the two tangent at a common point z = x + iy are orthogonal.

We will see any pair of orthogonal curves are mapped into orthogonal curves if the mapping function is analytic. Let us consider the mapping w = f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y). Choose two curves u(x, y) = a and v(x, y) = b passing (x, y) in the z-plain, where a and b are real constants.

- Show that the normal vector to u(x, y) = a is $(\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial u}{\partial y})$.
- Show that the normal vector to v(x, y) = b is $(\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial v}{\partial y})$.
- Show that the inner product of the two 2-dimensional normal vectors vanishes if f(z) is analytic.

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}\frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 0,$$

due to the Cauchy-Riemann condition of analyticity.

Consider an analytic function w = f(z). We will verify that the mapping preserves the angle.

- Show that df(z)/dz exists and unique at a point $z = z_0$.
- Show that $\arg\left(\frac{df(z)}{dz}\right) = \alpha$, where α is real and constant at $z = z_0$. Is df(z)/dz independent of the path approaching $z = z_0$?
- Show that $\arg[df(z)] = \arg(dz) + \arg(\alpha)$.
- Choose two paths approaching $z = z_0$, $z_0 + \epsilon e^{i\theta_1}$ and $z_0 + \epsilon e^{i\theta_2}$, where θ_1 and θ_2 are constants and we vary $\epsilon \to 0$. dz for the two paths are $e^{i\theta_1}d\epsilon$ and $e^{i\theta_2}d\epsilon$. The relative angle between the two paths are $\theta_1 - \theta_2$. Show that the corresponding path in the w-plain is $df[z_0 + \epsilon e^{i\theta_1}] - df[z_0 + \epsilon e^{i\theta_2}] = \theta_1 - \theta_2$.

Consider a two semi-infinite plates crossing with an angle θ_0 at the ends of their plains. Choose the cylindrical coordinate system where the edge is placed at the origin and the x-axis is placed on the plain and is normal to the edge.

- Show that the sector $0 < \theta < \theta_0$ is transformed into a strip in the *w*-plain.
- Assume the electric potential is $V(\theta = 0) = 0$ and $V(\theta = \theta_0) = V_0$.
- Use the symmetry to show that the potential at angle θ is $V(\theta) = V_0 \theta / \theta_0 = \frac{V_0}{\theta_0} \operatorname{Im}(\ln z).$

• Show that $w = U + iV = \frac{V_0}{\theta_0} \ln z$ is analytic and Im(w) = V.

• Show that $E_x = -\frac{\partial V}{\partial x}$ and $E_y = -\frac{\partial V}{\partial y}$.

- Show that $\frac{dw}{dz} = -i(E_x iE_y)$ and therefore $E_x = \text{Im}\left(-\frac{dw}{dz}\right)$ and $E_y = \text{Re}\left(-\frac{dw}{dz}\right)$.
- Differentiating the complex potential, find the electric field components

$$-\frac{dw}{dz} = -\frac{V_0}{z\theta_0} = \frac{V_0}{\theta_0} \left(-\frac{x}{r^2} + i\frac{y}{r^2}\right)$$
$$E_x = \frac{V_0}{z\theta_0}\frac{y}{r^2} = \frac{V_0}{\theta_0}\frac{\sin\theta}{r}$$
$$E_y = -\frac{V_0}{z\theta_0}\frac{x}{r^2} = -\frac{V_0}{\theta_0}\frac{\cos\theta}{r}$$

Homework set 4: (due: Oct. 16, 2004)

- 1. (6.5.3) Function f(z) is analytic on and within the unit circle C. Also, |f(z)| < 1 for |z| < 1 and f(0) = 0. Show that |f(z)| < |z| for $|z| \le 1$.
- 2. Show that the Laurent series $e^{z}e^{1/z} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left[\frac{1}{(n!)^{2}} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!(n+k)!} \left(z^{k} + \frac{1}{z^{k}} \right) \right] \text{ is convergent}$ $\forall z \neq 0.$
- 3. (6.5.8) Show that the Laurent expansion of $f(z) = (e^z 1)^{-1}$ about the origin is

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{z} \left(\frac{z}{e^z - 1} \right) = \frac{1}{z} \left(1 + \frac{z}{2} + \frac{z^2}{6} + \cdots \right)^{-1}$$
$$= \frac{1}{z} - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{z}{12} + \cdots$$

4. (6.5.11)

(a) Given $f_1(z) = \int_0^\infty e^{-zt} dt$ (with real t), show that the domain in which $f_1(z)$ exists and it analytic is $\operatorname{Re}(z) > 0$. (b) Show that $f_2(z) = 1/z$ equals $f_1(z)$ over $\operatorname{Re}(z) > 0$ and is therefore an analytic continuation of $f_1(z)$ over the entire z-plain except for z = 0.

(c) Expand 1/z = 1/[i + (z - i)] about the point z = i to find $1/z = -i \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} i^n (z - i)^n$ for |z - i| < 1.

5. (6.6.2) a) Show that the mapping w = z-1/z+1 transforms the right half of the z-plain(Re(z) > 0) into the unit disc |w| < 1.
b) Show that the mapping w = z-i/z+i transforms the upper half of the z-plain(Im(z) < 0) into the unit disc |w| < 1.

Mid-term Exam:

Chapter 4 and 6 Oct. 18, 2004, Monday

Chapter 7 Complex Variable II

- We now know many properties of analytic functions.
- We extensively use Cauchy integral theorem to evaluate many important definite integrals.
- entire function: Functions such as z and e^z are analytic everywhere.
- singularity: Function such as 1/z has sigularity at z = 0. The function is not analytic at the singular point. The point is isolated because anywhere near the point the function is analytic.
- **meromorphic function**: a function is meromorphic if it has a finite number of singular points.

Poles: A series expansion near an isolated pole can be done using Laurent series method. Consider a Laurent series exaphsion about z_0 .

$$f(z) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k (z - z_0)^k$$
$$= a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[a_n (z - z_0)^n + \frac{a_{-n}}{(z - z_0)^n} \right]$$
$$\frac{a_{-n}}{(z - z_0)^n} = \text{pole of order } n$$
$$a_{-1} = \text{Residue}$$

Essential singularity: If a series has a pole of infinite order, the function has essential singularity at the point. $e^{1/z}$ as essential singularity at z = 0. Laurent series exappsion about $|z| = \infty$.

$$e^{1/z} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n! z^n}$$
 poles at $z = 0$ for all n
 $a_{-n} = \frac{1}{n!}$, pole of any order $n = 1, 2, \dots \rightarrow$ essential singularity

The real function $\sin x$ is bounded. However, $\sin z$ also has an essential singularity at $z \to \infty(\frac{1}{z} = t \to 0)$;

$$\sin z = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n z^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n+1)! t^{2n+1}}$$

Show that $\sin z = \sin x \cosh y + i \cos x \sinh y$ and that $\sin z$ is not bounded as $\operatorname{Im}(z) \to \pm \infty$.

Branch cut

- Show that $\ln z = \ln r + i\theta$ is single valued only if we impose a branch cut.
- Show that the cut of $\operatorname{Re} x < 0$ and y = 0 is a choice and the answer has the same limiting value as z approaches the positive real axis. ($\operatorname{Re} x > 0$ and y = 0)
- Show that $z = e^{\ln z}$ and $\ln e^z$ is not always equal to z.
- Show that $z^a = r^a e^{ia\theta}$ is multivalued unless we impose a cut.

$$e^{ia2\pi} \neq e^{i0}$$

unless a = integer. The cut must pass the branch point z = 0.

Functions with 2 branch points

$$(z^{2}-1)^{1/2} = (z+1)^{1/2}(z-1)^{1/2}$$

if $z = x, -1 < x < 1$
 $(z^{2}-1)^{1/2} = i\sqrt{1-x^{2}}, -i\sqrt{1-x^{2}}$: double
 \rightarrow branch points are $z = \pm 1$
 \rightarrow need a common branch cut
 $z = x, -1 < x < 1$
 $(z^{2}-1)^{1/2} = \sqrt{r_{+}r_{-}}e^{\frac{i}{2}(\theta_{+}+\theta_{-})}$
 $z-1 = r_{+}e^{i\theta_{+}}, -\pi < \theta_{+} < \pi$
 $z+1 = r_{-}e^{i\theta_{-}}, 0 < \theta_{-} < 2\pi$
 $\rightarrow -\frac{\pi}{2} < \frac{1}{2}(\theta_{+}+\theta_{-}) < \frac{3\pi}{2} \rightarrow \text{single - valued}$

Uniqueness Theorem for power series (Sec. 5.7): Assume there are two series expansions of a function

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n, \quad -R_a < x < R_a$$
$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_n x^n, \quad -R_b < x < R_b$$

with overlapping intervals of convergence, including the origin.

- Substituting x = 0, show that $a_0 = b_0$.
- Differentiating both sides once and substituting x = 0, show that $a_1 = b_1$. Using mathematical induction, show that $a_n = b_n$ for all n. Therefore, Talyor expansion is unique.

Consider a function f(z) having an order-*n* pole at $z = z_0$. One can expand f(z) around $z = z_0$ in terms of Laurent series expansion. $f(z) = \sum_{k=-n}^{\infty} a_k z^k$, $a_k = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(z)dz}{(z-z_0)^{k+1}}$, where the contour *C* is enclosing z_0 .

- Show that $(z z_0)^n f(z) = (z z_0)^{n-1} [a_{-1} + o(z z_0)]$, where o(0) = 0.
- Show that $\frac{d^{n-1}}{dz^{n-1}}(z-z_0)^{n-1} = (n-1)!$ and $\left[\frac{d^{n-1}}{do(z-z_0)}\right]_{z=z_0} = 0.$
- Show that the residue a_{-1} is then

$$a_{-1} = \frac{1}{(n-1)!} \frac{d^{n-1}}{dz^{n-1}} \left[(z-z_0)^n f(z) \right]_{z=z_0}$$

Residue Theorem: Assume f(z) has poles only at $z = z_0$.

$$f(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} a_n (z - z_0)^n, \quad a_{-1} = \text{residue}$$

$$\int_C f(z) dz = \begin{cases} 2\pi i a_{-1}, z_0 \text{ is inside } C \\ 0, z_0 \text{ is outside } C \end{cases}$$

Assume f(z) has poles at $z = z_1, z_2, \cdots$ as

$$f(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \left[(a_1)_n (z - z_1)^n + (a_k)_n (z - z_2)^n + \cdots \right].$$

• Show that $\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} a_n (z-z_i)^n$ is analytic for all $z_j \neq z_i$.

• Show if a contour encloses poles z_1 through z_m , show that

$$\oint_C f(z)dz = 2\pi i \left[(a_1)_{-1} + (a_2)_{-1} + \dots + (a_k)_{-1} \right].$$

Calulate the residues

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{z - i} \to \text{Residue}(z = i) = 1$$

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

$$a_{-1}(z = 1) = \frac{1}{(1 + 1)} = \frac{1}{2}, \quad a_{-1}(z = -1) = \frac{1}{(-1 - 1)} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

Find the residue of the following function at z = 0.

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{z^2(z-1)} \to -\frac{1}{z^2}(1+z+z^2+\cdots) = -\frac{1}{z^2} - \frac{1}{z} - \cdots$$

$$\operatorname{Res}(0) = \frac{1}{(n-1)!} \frac{d^{n-1}}{dz^{n-1}} \left[(z-z_0)^n f(z) \right]_{z=z_0} \leftarrow n = 2, \ z_0 = 0$$

$$= \left[-\frac{1}{(z-1)^2} \right]_{z=1} = -1$$

Example 7.2.1: Let us evaluate the definite integral

$$I = \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{d\theta}{1 + \epsilon \cos \theta}, \ |\epsilon| < 1$$

• Using the following change of varibale,

$$z = e^{i\theta}, \ dz = ie^{i\theta}d\theta \to d\theta = -i\frac{dz}{z}$$
$$1 + \epsilon \cos\theta = 1 + \epsilon \frac{1}{2}\left(z + \frac{1}{z}\right) = \frac{\epsilon}{2z}\left(z^2 + \frac{2z}{\epsilon} + 1\right)$$

show that the integral can be expressed as a contour integral over a unit circle as

$$I = \int_{0}^{2\pi} \frac{d\theta}{1 + \epsilon \cos \theta} = \oint_{C} \left(-i\frac{dz}{z} \right) \frac{2z}{\epsilon(z - z_{+})(z - z_{-})}$$
$$= \frac{-2i}{\epsilon} \oint_{C} \frac{dz}{(z - z_{+})(z - z_{-})}$$
$$z_{\pm} = -\frac{1}{\epsilon} \left(1 \pm \sqrt{1 - \epsilon^{2}} \right), \quad z_{+} - z_{-} = \frac{2}{\epsilon} \sqrt{1 - \epsilon^{2}}$$

- Show that $|z_+| < 1$ and $z_- < -1$; only z_+ is enclosed by the contour of the unit circle C.
- Show that the residue for $[(z z_-)(z z_+)]^{-1}$ at $z = z_+$ is

$$\frac{1}{z_+ - z_-} = \frac{\epsilon}{2\sqrt{1 - \epsilon^2}}$$

• Finally

$$I = \int_{0}^{2\pi} \frac{d\theta}{1 + \epsilon \cos \theta}, \ |\epsilon| < 1$$
$$= \frac{-2i}{\epsilon} \frac{2\pi i}{z_{+} - z_{-}} = \frac{-2i}{\epsilon} 2\pi i \frac{\epsilon}{2\sqrt{1 - \epsilon^{2}}} = \frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{1 - \epsilon^{2}}}$$

Example 7.2.2: Let us evaluate the definite integral of a real variable

$$I = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{1+x^2}$$

using the complex contour integral technique.

- Show that $I = \lim_{R \to \infty} \int_{-R}^{R} \frac{dz}{1+z^2}$, where z = x + i0.
- Let us take a contour C made of C_1 , from -R + i0 to R + i0, and C_2 along $Re^{i\theta}$, where $0 < \theta < \pi$. Show that

$$J = \int_C \frac{dz}{z^2 + 1} = \int_C \frac{dz}{(z + i)(z - i)} = I + \int_{C_2} \frac{dz}{z^2 + 1}.$$

• Show that z = i is the only pole enclosed by C and its residue is

$$a_{-1}(z=i) = \frac{1}{2i} \to J = 2\pi i \times a_{-1}(z=i) = \pi.$$

• Show that the integral along the large semi-circle C_2 is reduced into

$$\int_{C_2} \frac{dz}{z^2 + 1} = \int_{\theta=0}^{2\pi} \frac{d(Re^{i\theta})}{1 + (Re^{i\theta})^2} = Rie^{i\theta} \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{d\theta}{1 + R^2 e^{2i\theta}}$$

• Using $|\int f(z)dz| \leq |f_{\max}|L$, where $|f_{\max}|$ is the maxmum value of the |f(z)| along the path and L is the length of the path, show that

$$\int_{C_2} \frac{dz}{z^2 + 1} \le \frac{2\pi}{R} \to 0 \text{ as } R \to \infty.$$

• Therefore

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{1+x^2} = \pi, \quad \int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{1+x^2} = \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

Example 7.2.4: Let us evaluate the definite integral

$$I = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx = \operatorname{Im} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^{iz}}{z} dz.$$

- Take the contour $C = [-R + i0 \rightarrow -\delta + i0]$ + $[C_1 : \delta e^{i\theta}, \theta : \pi \rightarrow 0] + [-R + i0 \rightarrow -\delta + i0]$ + $[C_2 : Re^{i\theta}, \theta : 0 \rightarrow \pi].$
- Show that the function e^{iz}/z is analytic in the region enclosed by the contour C. Therefore,

$$\oint_C \frac{e^{iz}}{z} dz = 0.$$

• Show that in the limit $\delta \to 0$ the integral over the semi-circle C_1 becomes

$$\int_{C_1} \frac{e^{iz}}{z} dz = (\pi i)_{\text{half circle}} (-1)_{\text{clockwise}} = -\pi i$$

note that the path is in the negative sense.

• Show that in the limit $R \to \infty$ the integral over the large semi-circle C_2 vanishes

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \int_{C_2} \frac{e^{iz}}{z} dz \right| &\leq \left| i \int_0^{\pi} e^{iR\cos\theta - R\sin\theta} d\theta \right| \leftarrow z = Re^{i\theta}, \ \frac{dz}{z} = id\theta \\ &= \int_0^{\pi} e^{-R\sin\theta} d\theta = 2 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} e^{-R\sin\theta} d\theta \\ &\leq 2 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} e^{-R\frac{2\theta}{\pi}} d\theta = \frac{\pi}{R} \left(1 - e^{-R} \right) \to 0 \text{ as } R \to 0. \end{aligned}$$

• Show that

$$\oint_C \frac{e^{iz}}{z} = i\pi = \int_{-R}^{-\delta} \frac{e^{ix}}{x} + \int_{\delta}^R \frac{e^{ix}}{x}$$

• Show that

$$\lim_{\delta \to 0} \int_{-\delta}^{\delta} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx = \lim_{\delta \to 0} \int_{-\delta}^{\delta} \frac{x + o(x^3)}{x} dx$$
$$= \lim_{\delta \to 0} \int_{-\delta}^{\delta} \left(1 + o(x^2) + \cdots\right) dx$$
$$\to \lim_{\delta \to 0} \left[2\delta + o(\delta^3)\right] \to 0$$

• Show that

$$\oint_C \frac{\cos z}{z} = 0, \quad \oint_C \frac{\sin z}{z} = \pi$$
$$\int_0^\infty \frac{\sin z}{z} = \int_{-\infty}^0 \frac{\sin z}{z} = \frac{\pi}{2}$$
$$\int_{-\infty}^\infty \frac{\sin z}{z} = \pi$$

(7.2.11): Let us use the same method to calculate the integral

$$I = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\sin^2 x}{x^2} dx$$

• Show that the integral can be reparametrized as

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\sin^2 x}{x^2} dx = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1 - \cos 2x}{2x^2} dx = \operatorname{Re} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1 - e^{i2z}}{2z^2} dz$$

Residue(0) = $-\frac{2i}{2} = -i$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\sin^2 x}{x^2} dx = \pi \int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{\sin^2 x}{x^2} dx = \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

This integral appears when we derive Fermi's Golden Rule. See time-dependent perturbation theory in quantum mechanics. Feynman propagator $(\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+, \omega_0 > 0)$

$$i\Delta_F(t) = i \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{d\omega}{2\pi} \frac{e^{-i\omega t}}{\omega^2 - \omega_0^2 + i\epsilon}$$

= $i \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{d\omega}{2\pi} \frac{e^{-i\omega t}}{(\omega - \omega_0 + i\epsilon)(\omega + \omega_0 - i\epsilon)}$
closing C : $t > 0 \to \text{clockw.}, t < 0 \to \text{counterclockw.}$

$$\operatorname{Res}(\omega_{0}) = \frac{e^{-i\omega_{0}t}}{2\omega_{0}}, \operatorname{Res}(-\omega_{0}) = \frac{e^{+i\omega_{0}t}}{-2\omega_{0}}$$
$$i\Delta_{F}(t) = \frac{i(2\pi i)}{2\pi} \left[(-1)_{\text{c.clockw.}} \frac{\theta(t)e^{-i\omega_{0}t}}{2\omega_{0}} + (+1)_{\text{clockw.}} \frac{\theta(-t)e^{i\omega_{0}t}}{-2\omega_{0}} \right]$$
$$= \frac{1}{2\omega_{0}} \left[\theta(t)e^{-i\omega_{0}t} + \theta(-t)e^{i\omega_{0}t} \right]$$

Mittag-Leffler Theorem: f(z) has poles z_1, \dots, z_n inside C_n (center 0). $|f(z_n)|/R_n \to 0$ as $R_n \to \infty$ (bounded). $z \neq z_i, 0, C_n$. Res $(z_i) = b_i$.

$$I_{n}(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_{n}} \frac{f(w)}{w(w-z)} dw \leftarrow \text{poles} : z_{i}, \ 0, \ w$$
$$= \sum_{m=1}^{n} \operatorname{Res} = \sum_{m=1}^{n} \frac{b_{m}}{z_{m}(z_{m}-z)} + \frac{f(z) - f(0)}{z}$$
$$|I_{n}| \leq \frac{2\pi R_{n}}{2\pi} \frac{|f(w)|_{\max}}{R_{n}(R_{n}-|z|)} \to 0, \ \text{as} \ R_{n} \to \infty \ (R_{n} \gg |z|)$$

$$f(z) - f(0) = \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{zb_m}{z_m(z - z_m)} = \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} b_m \left[\frac{1}{z - z_m} + \frac{1}{z_m} \right]$$

Example 7.2.7 Mittag-Leffler Theorem application: $f(z) = \pi \cot \pi z - \frac{1}{z}$ has poles $z = n, n = \pm 1, \pm 2 \cdots$.

$$f(0) = \lim_{z \to 0} \left(\frac{\pi \cos \pi z}{\sin \pi z} - \frac{1}{z} \right) = 0$$

$$b_n = \operatorname{Res}(n) = \left[\frac{\pi \cos \pi z}{(\sin \pi z)'} \right]_{z=n} = \frac{\pi \cos n\pi}{\pi \cos n\pi} = 1$$

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

$$= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2z}{z^2 - n^2}$$

Weierstrass' Factorization Formula : $\frac{f'(z)}{f(z)}$, $f(z) = (z - z_n)g(z)$, g(z) is analytic and $g(z_n) \neq 0$. If Mittag-Leffler Theorem is

applicable to
$$\frac{f'(z)}{f(z)}$$
,

$$\frac{f'(z)}{f(z)} = \frac{[(z-z_n)g(z)]'}{(z-z_n)g(z)} = \frac{1}{z-z_n} + \frac{g'(z)}{g(z)}$$

$$\frac{f'(z)}{f(z)} = \frac{f'(0)}{f(0)} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\frac{1}{z-z_n} + \frac{1}{z_n}\right] \text{ (Mittag - Leffler)}$$

$$\ln \frac{f(z)}{f(0)} = \ln f(z) - \ln f(0) = \int_{f(0)}^{f(z)} \frac{df(w)}{f(w)} = \int_0^z \frac{f'(w)}{f(w)} dw$$

$$= \frac{zf'(0)}{f(0)} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\ln\left(\frac{z-z_n}{-z_n}\right) + \frac{z}{z_n}\right]$$

$$f(z) = f(0)e^{\frac{zf'(0)}{f(0)}} \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(1 - \frac{z}{z_n}\right)e^{\frac{z}{z_n}}$$

Weierstrass' Factorization Formula Application:

$$f(z) = f(0)e^{\frac{zf'(0)}{f(0)}} \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(1 - \frac{z}{z_n}\right) e^{\frac{z}{z_n}}$$

$$f(z) = \frac{\sin z}{z} = 1 - \frac{z^2}{3} + \cdots, \quad f(0) = 1, \quad f'(0) = 0$$

$$\frac{\sin z}{z} = \prod_{n \neq 0, n = -\infty}^{\infty} \left(1 - \frac{z}{n\pi}\right) e^{\frac{z}{n\pi}} = \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(1 - \frac{z}{n\pi}\right) \left(1 + \frac{z}{n\pi}\right) e^{\frac{z}{n\pi} - \frac{z}{n\pi}}$$

$$= \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(1 - \frac{z^2}{n^2 \pi^2}\right)$$

Weierstrass' Factorization Formula Application:

$$f(z) = f(0)e^{\frac{zf'(0)}{f(0)}} \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(1 - \frac{z}{z_n}\right) e^{\frac{z}{z_n}}$$

$$f(z) = \cos z = 1 - \frac{z^2}{2} + \cdots, \quad f(0) = 1, \quad f'(0) = 0$$

$$\cos z = \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[1 - \frac{z}{(n - \frac{1}{2})\pi}\right] e^{\frac{z}{(n - \frac{1}{2})\pi}} \left[1 + \frac{z}{(n - \frac{1}{2})\pi}\right] e^{-\frac{z}{(n - \frac{1}{2})\pi}}$$

$$= \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[1 - \frac{z^2}{(n - \frac{1}{2})^2 \pi^2}\right]$$

Example 7.2.5) Bessel function

$$g(x,t) = e^{\frac{x}{2}\left(t-\frac{1}{t}\right)} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} J_n(x)t^n$$
$$J_n(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{e^{\frac{x}{2}\left(t-\frac{1}{t}\right)}}{t^{n+1}} dt$$
$$\longrightarrow \text{ Laurent coefficient}$$
$$C = re^{i\theta}, \text{ for any integer } n$$

Homework set 4: (due: Oct. 16, 2004)

1. (7.1.2) There is a function of the form

$$f(z) = \frac{f_1(z)}{f_2(z)},$$

where $f_i(z)$'s are analytic, $f_2(z_0) = 0$, $f_1(z_0) \neq 0$, and $f'_2(z_0) \neq 0$. Show that f(z) has a pole of order 1 at $z = z_0$. Show that the residue a_{-1} for the function at $z = z_0$ is

$$a_{-1} = \frac{f_1(z_0)}{f_2'(z_0)}.$$

2. Using above result show that $a_{-1} = -\frac{i}{2}$ at z = i if $f(z) = \frac{1}{z^2+1}$.