

MATH-4101(3)-001 Assignment 6 Due: Mar 3, 2022 (before class)

1. Evaluate the following limits if they exist; if they do not exist state why. Show work.

$$\text{a) } \lim_{z \rightarrow -i} \frac{z^3 + z}{z + i} \quad \text{b) } \lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} \frac{7z^2}{5 + 2z + 3z^2} \quad \text{c) } \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{3}{2 + \bar{z}}$$

2. Prove the following:

$$\text{a) } \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin z}{z} = 1 \quad \text{b) } \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sinh z}{iz} = -i$$

[Hint: Recall that $\frac{f(z)-f(0)}{z} \rightarrow f'(0)$.]

3. Show that $f(z) = |z|$ is not differentiable at 0. Show that $g(z) = |z|^2$ is differentiable at $z = 0$ and nowhere else. Thus, g is differentiable at 0 but not holomorphic in any open disk containing 0.

4. Consider

$$f(z) = \frac{xy^2(x + iy)}{x^2 + y^4} (z = x + iy \neq 0) \quad \text{and} \quad f(0) = 0.$$

Verify that $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(z)}{z} = 0$ as $z \rightarrow 0$ along any straight line, $z = (a + ib)t, t \in \mathbb{R}$. Now, by considering $z \rightarrow 0$ along the path $z(t) = t^2 + it$, show that f is not differentiable at 0.

5. Assume U is open and connected. Let $f : U \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ be given.

(a) If f is holomorphic on U and assumes only real (resp. purely imaginary) values, then f is a constant.

(b) If f and \bar{f} are both holomorphic on U , then f is a constant.

6. Let $f(z) : \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n$ with $R > 0$ as its radius of convergence. Assume that $f' = f$ on $B(0, R)$ and that $f(0) = 1$. Find a_n explicitly and hence f .

[Hint: Use the formula for a_n given by infinite differentiability of power series. Do you see that you need the result on uniqueness of power series?]

7. Let $f : U \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ be holomorphic. Let $\overline{U} := \{\bar{z} : z \in U\}$. Define $g(z) := \overline{f(\bar{z})}$ for $z \in \overline{U}$. Show g is holomorphic on \overline{U} and find $g'(z)$ for $z \in \overline{U}$ in terms of f' . Also, write briefly why we can't conclude this using the converse of Cauchy-Riemann equations implying holomorphicity theorem.

[*Hint*: Carefully apply the proposition to g immediate to definition of differentiability (Recall the notation $f'(z) = f_1(z)$) and convince the reader why it gives us the result required. It may be helpful to do it for polynomials and wonder why it is true!]