



Riemann's removable singularity theorem

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Let $U \subset \mathbb{C}$ be a domain, $a \in U$, and let $f : U \setminus \{a\}$ be holomorphic. Then a is a removable singularity of f if and only if

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow a} (z - a)f(z) = 0.$$

In particular, a is a removable singularity of f if f is <http://planetmath.org/node/Bounded> near a , i.e. if there is a punctured neighborhood V of a and a real number $M > 0$ such that $|f(z)| < M$ for all $z \in V$.