## 1 8.8 Problems: 3, 4, 6, 7, 8

3 Let's find the sum of the winding numbers for  $z = \pm 1$ .

$$w(\gamma, 1) = -1$$

$$w(\gamma_1, 1) = 0$$

$$w(\gamma_2, 1) = 1$$

$$w(\gamma, -1) = -1$$

$$w(\gamma_1, -1) = 1$$

$$w(\gamma_2, -1) = 0$$

So the sum is 0. This means that the sum of the integrals would be 0. Hence we have:

$$\int_{\gamma_1} f + \int_{\gamma_2} f + \int_{\gamma} f = 0 \implies \int_{\gamma_1} f + \int_{\gamma_2} f = -\int_{\gamma} f$$

This does not come out to the same as the homework asks due to a typo.

4 Choose the path  $\gamma = e^{it}$  with  $t \in [0, 2\pi]$ . We can take the winding number of this path around the point z = -1. This gives us  $w(\gamma, z) = 1 \neq 0$  so the domain is not simply connected.

Suppose the domain  $D_0$  is NOT simply connected. That means there is some  $z \notin D_0$  where the winding number is not zero. Let's choose the point z = x + i0 where  $x \le -1$ . In order for the winding number around this point to be non-zero we need a path that goes completely around it. This would require passing through a point z = a + i0 where  $a < x \le -1$ . But this is not in the domain. The same argument applies for z = x + i0 when  $x \ge 1$  because there are no points to the right of z on the real axis within the domain. So we cannot create a close path around a point outside the domain, hence a winding number of 0.

The origin is a star domain by the argument from 8.8.1(i). Because the function  $\frac{1}{z^2-1}$  is differentiable and in a star domain it also has an antiderivative.

6 There are four cases: The inside of  $\gamma$  might contain -i, i, both, or neither. When it it contains neither  $w(\gamma, \pm i) = 0$  so  $\int_{\gamma} f = 0$  by Thm 8.8. Suppose the path  $\gamma_1$  only contains i. All paths with the same winding number will be equal (See section 8.6). Let us use  $\gamma_1(t) = i + e^{it}$  with  $t \in [0, 2\pi]$ , it has winding number 1. But if we wanted a path with winding number n, then we only need to follow the same path n times.

$$\int_{n\gamma} f = n \int_{\gamma} f \tag{\dagger}$$

$$\int_{n_1\gamma_1} \frac{1}{z^2 + 1} dz = \frac{in_1}{2} \int_{\gamma} \frac{1}{z + i} - \frac{1}{z - i} dz$$

$$= \frac{in_1}{2} [\log(z + i) - \log(z - i)]_{\gamma_1}$$

$$= \frac{in_1}{2} [\log(e^{it} + 2i) - \log(e^{it})]_0^{2\pi}$$

$$= \frac{in_1}{2} [\log(e^{i2\pi} + 2i) - \log(e^0 + 2i) - \log(e^{i2\pi}) + \log(e^0)]$$

$$= \frac{in_1}{2} [-i2\pi]$$

$$= n_1 \pi$$

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Now we can let  $\gamma_2(t) = e^{it} - i$  so it contains -i. If we want winding number  $n_2$  then integrate along  $n_2\gamma_2$ . Using previous work:

$$\begin{split} \int_{n_2\gamma_2} \frac{1}{z^2+1} dz &= \frac{in_2}{2} [\log(z+i) - \log(z-i)]_{\gamma_2} \\ &= \frac{in_2}{2} [\log(e^{it}) - \log(e^{it}-2i)]_0^{2\pi} \\ &= \frac{in_2}{2} [\log(e^{i2\pi}) - \log(e^0) - \log(e^{i2\pi}-2i) + \log(e^0+2i)] \\ &= -n_2\pi \end{split}$$

Finally we can choose the path  $\gamma_3$ , which contains both points. Suppose that for this path  $w(\gamma_3, i) = n_3$  and  $w(\gamma_3, -i) = n_4$ . Observe the sum

$$w(n_3\gamma_1, i) + w(n_4\gamma_2, i) - w(\gamma_3, i) = 0 = w(n_3\gamma_1, -i) + w(n_4\gamma_2, -i) - w(\gamma_3, -i)$$

By theorem 8.9 we get the result

$$n_3 \int_{\gamma_1} f + n_4 \int_{\gamma_2} f - \int_{\gamma_3} f = 0$$

$$\implies \int_{\gamma_3} \frac{1}{z^2 + 1} dz = n_3 \pi - n_4 \pi = (n_3 - n_4) \pi$$

Let's consider now the contour  $\sigma(t) = t$  with  $t \in [0, 1]$ .

$$\begin{split} \int_{\sigma} \frac{1}{z^2 + 1} dz &= \frac{i}{2} [\log(z + i) - \log(z - i)]_{\sigma} \\ &= \frac{i}{2} [\log(t + i) - \log(t - i)]_{0}^{1} \\ &= \frac{i}{2} [\log(1 + i) - \log(1 - i) - \log(i) + \log(-i)] \\ &= \frac{i}{2} [1/2 \log(2) + i\pi/4 - 1/2 \log(2) + i\pi/4 - i\pi/2 - i\pi/2] \\ &= \pi/4 \end{split}$$

7 The inside of both  $\gamma_1, \gamma_2$  is the same ring or donut.

$$\begin{split} \int_{\gamma_1} \frac{\cos(z)}{z} dz &= \int_{\gamma_1} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n z^{2n-1}}{(2n)!} dz \\ &= \int_{\gamma_1} \frac{1}{z} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1} z^{2n+1}}{(2n+2)!} dz \\ &= 0 + \left[ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n z^{2n}}{(2n)(2n)!} \right]_1^2 - \left[ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n z^{2n}}{(2n)(2n)!} \right]_1^2 = 0 \end{split}$$

Now we will use the other path to get:

$$\begin{split} \int_{\gamma_2} \frac{\cos(z)}{z} dz &= \int_{\gamma_2} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n z^{2n-1}}{(2n)!} dz \\ &= \int_{\gamma_2} \frac{1}{z} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1} z^{2n+1}}{(2n+2)!} dz \\ &= 4i\pi + \left[ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n z^{2n}}{(2n)(2n)!} \right]_1^2 - \left[ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n z^{2n}}{(2n)(2n)!} \right]_1^2 \\ &= 4i\pi \end{split}$$

8 We know that for each  $S_r$  we get  $w(S_r, z_r) = 1$ . If we want winding number  $n_r$  we can change the contour to  $n_r S_r$  which goes  $n_r$  times along  $S_r$ . Now if we integrate along this path:

$$\int_{nS_{-}} f = n \int_{S_{-}} f \tag{\dagger}$$

Suppose we choose  $n_r$  such that

$$w(n_r S_r, z_r) = w(\gamma, z_r)$$

We know that  $w(S_r, z_{j\neq r}) = 0$  because the circles are sufficiently small. Thus we can see that  $\forall z_j \notin \mathbb{C}$  the sum

$$w(\gamma, z_j) - \sum_{r=1}^{k} w(n_r S_r, z_j) = 0$$

Which would imply by Theorem 8.9 that

$$\int_{\gamma} f - \sum_{r=1}^{k} \int_{n_r S_r} f = 0$$

Using (†) and some algebra we get the result

$$\int_{\gamma} f = \sum_{r=1}^{k} n_r \int_{S_r} f$$

Let us suppose that for r = 1, 2, ..., k

$$\lim_{z \to z_r} (z - z_r) f(z) = a_r \in \mathbb{C}$$

$$\implies \lim_{z \to z_r} (z - z_r) f(z) \frac{1}{z - z_r} = a_r \lim_{z \to z_r} \frac{1}{z - z_r}$$

$$\implies \lim_{z \to z_r} f(z) = a_r \lim_{z \to z_r} \frac{1}{z - z_r}$$

Let us note the winding number of  $S_r$ 

$$w(S_r, z_r) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{S_r} \frac{1}{z - z_r} dz$$

$$\implies 2\pi i = \int_{S_r} \frac{1}{z - z_r} dz$$

We can then use this to compute the integral as  $S_r$  shrinks

$$\lim_{z \to z_r} \int_{S_r} f(z) dz = \lim_{z \to z_r} \int_{S_r} \frac{a_r}{z - z_r} dz$$
$$= 2\pi i a_r$$

Giving us the result

$$\int_{\gamma} f = \sum_{r=1}^{k} 2\pi i n_r a_r$$

## 2 10.9 Problems: 1, 3, 4, 5, 8

1. Let's find the first few terms of the sequence to get an idea of what it would come out to.

$$f(0) = 0$$

$$f'(z) = \frac{1}{z+1}$$

$$f'(0) = 1$$

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

$$f''(z) = -1$$

$$f^{(3)}(z) = \frac{2}{(z+1)^3}$$

$$f^{(3)}(0) = 2$$

$$f^{(4)}(z) = \frac{-6}{(z+1)^4}$$

$$f^{(4)}(0) = -6$$

I claim that

$$\begin{split} f(z) &= z - \frac{z^2}{2} + \frac{z^3}{3} - \frac{z^4}{4} + \ldots + \frac{(-1)^{n-1}z^n}{n} + \ldots \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n-1}z^n}{n} \end{split}$$

The disk of convergence is all  $|z| \leq 1$ . For g(z) we can simplify

$$\begin{split} g(z) &= \left(e^{\text{Log}(z+1)}\right)^{\alpha} \\ &= (z+1)^{\alpha} \\ g(0) &= 1 \\ g'(z) &= \alpha(z+1)^{\alpha-1} \\ g'(0) &= \alpha \\ g''(z) &= \alpha(\alpha-1)(z+1)^{\alpha-2} \\ g''(0) &= \alpha(\alpha-1) \\ g^{(3)}(z) &= \alpha(\alpha-1)(\alpha-2)(z+1)^{\alpha-3} \\ g^{(3)}(0) &= \alpha(\alpha-1)(\alpha-2) \\ g^{(n)}(0) &= \prod_{i=0}^{n-1} (\alpha-i) \end{split}$$

Thus the series would be

$$g(z) = 1 + \alpha x^{2} + \alpha (\alpha - 1) \frac{x^{2}}{2!} + \dots + \frac{x^{n}}{n!} \prod_{i=0}^{n-1} (\alpha - i)$$
$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{n}}{n!} \prod_{i=0}^{n-1} (\alpha - i)$$

Now we will find the radius of convergence

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{|a_{n-1}|}{|a_n|} = \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{x^{n-1} n! \prod_{i=0}^{n-2} (\alpha - i)}{x^n (n-1)! \prod_{i=0}^{n-1} (\alpha - i)}$$

$$= \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{|n|}{|x(\alpha - n + 1)|}$$

$$= \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{1}{|x\alpha/n - 1 + 1/n|}$$

$$= 1$$

Thus the disk of convergence is z where |z| < 1

3 (i) Looking at the first few terms

$$f(z) = \sin^2(z)$$

$$f(0) = 0$$

$$f'(z) = 2\sin(z)\cos(z)$$

$$f'(0) = 0$$

$$f''(z) = 2\cos^2(z) - 2\sin^2(z)$$

$$f''(0) = 2$$

$$f^{(3)}(z) = -8\sin(z)\cos(z) = -4f'(z)$$

$$f^{(4)}(z) = -4f''(z)$$

$$f^{(2n+1)}(0) = 0$$

$$f^{(2n)}(0) = (-4)^{n-1}2$$

We can then see that

$$\sin^{2}(z) = 2\frac{x^{2}}{2!} - 8\frac{x^{4}}{4!} + 32\frac{x^{6}}{6!} - 128\frac{x^{8}}{8!} + \dots$$
$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{2(-4)^{n-1}x^{2n}}{(2n)!}$$

(ii) Looking at the first few terms

$$f(0) = \frac{0^2}{(0+2)^2} = 0$$

$$f'(z) = 4\frac{z}{(z+2)^3}$$

$$f'(0) = 0$$

$$f''(z) = 4(-2!)\frac{z-1}{(z+2)^4}$$

$$f''(0) = 1/2$$

$$f^{(3)}(z) = 4(3!)\frac{(z-2)}{(z+2)^5}$$

$$f^{(3)}(0) = \frac{-3}{2}$$

I claim that for  $n \geq 1$ 

$$f^{(n)}(z) = 4(-1)^{n+1}n! \frac{(z-n+1)}{(z+2)^{n+2}}$$

$$\implies f^{(n+1)}(z) = 4(-1)^{n+1}n! \frac{(z-n+1)'(z+2)^{n+2} - (z-n+1)((z+2)^{n+2})'}{(z+2)^{2n+4}}$$

$$= 4(-1)^{n+1}n! \frac{z+2 - (z-n+1)(n+2)}{(z+2)^{n+3}}$$

$$= 4(-1)^{n+2}n! \frac{(1+n)z - n(n+1)}{(z+2)^{n+3}}$$

$$= 4(-1)^{n+2}(n+1)! \frac{z-n}{(z+2)^{n+3}}$$

Thus we have:

$$f^{(n)}(0) = (-1)^n n! \frac{n-1}{(2)^n}$$

So we get the sequence

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

(iii) First we will compute several terms

$$f(0) = \frac{1}{b}$$

$$f'(z) = \frac{-a}{(az+b)^2}$$

$$f''(z) = \frac{2a^2}{(az+b)^3}$$

$$f^{(n)}(z) = \frac{(-1)^n (n!) a^n}{(az+b)^{n+1}}$$

$$f^{(n+1)}(z) = \frac{(-1)^n (n!) a^n (-(n+1)a)}{(az+b)^{n+2}}$$

$$= \frac{(-1)^{n+1} (n+1)! a^{n+1}}{(az+b)^{n+2}}$$

Thus the zeros are:

$$f^{(n)}(0) = \frac{(-1)^n (n!) a^n}{b^{n+1}}$$
$$f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n a^n z^n}{b^{n+1}}$$

(iv) First few terms:

$$f(0) = 0$$

$$f'(z) = e^{z^{2}}$$

$$f'(0) = 1$$

$$f''(z) = 2ze^{z^{2}}$$

$$f''(z) = 0$$

$$f^{(3)}(z) = 2(1 + 2z^{2})e^{z^{2}}$$

$$f^{(3)}(0) = 2$$

$$f^{(4)}(z) = 4(3z + 2z^{3})e^{z^{2}}$$

$$f^{(4)}(0) = 0$$

$$f^{(5)}(z) = 4(3 + 12z^{2} + 4z^{4})e^{z^{2}}$$

$$f^{(5)}(0) = 12$$

$$f^{(2n+1)}(0) = \frac{(2n)!}{n!}$$

So

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

(v) First few terms:

$$f(0) = 1$$

$$f'(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n (2n) z^{2n-1}}{(2n+1)!}$$

$$f''(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n (2n) (2n-1) z^{2n-2}}{(2n+1)!}$$

$$f^{(3)}(z) = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n (2n) (2n-1) (2n-2) z^{2n-3}}{(2n+1)!}$$

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

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

$$f^{(2k)}(0) = \frac{(-1)^k (2k)!}{(2k+1)!}$$

Thus we get the series:

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

- (vi) I cannot figure this out
- 4 We know that  $\sec(z) = 1/\cos(z)$  thus  $\sec(z)\cos(z) = 1$ . So if we take the product of the power series:

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

$$= c_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n z^{2n}}{n!} \left(\sum_{i=0}^n \binom{2n}{2i} c_{2i}\right) = 1$$

$$\implies c_0 = 1$$

$$\implies \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{2n}{2i} c_{2i} = 0, \forall n \ge 1$$

Now we must show that  $c_{2n}$  is an integer. By the series we know

$$\sum_{i=0}^{1} {2n \choose 2i} c_{2i} = 0$$

$$c_0 + {2 \choose 2} c_2 = 0$$

$$c_2 = -1$$

Now let's assume that  $c_2n$  is an integer for  $n \leq k$ 

$$\sum_{i=0}^{k+1} {2k+2 \choose 2i} c_{2i} = c_{2k+2} + \sum_{i=0}^{k} {2k+2 \choose 2i} c_{2i} = 0$$

$$\implies c_{2k+2} = \sum_{i=0}^{k} (-1) {2k+2 \choose 2i} c_{2i}$$

We know that the binomial coefficient is an integer and since we are just adding and multiplying integers to get  $c_{2k+2}$  it must be an integer. Here are 5 terms of the sequence.

$$c_0 = 1$$
 $c_2 = -1$ 
 $c_4 = 5$ 
 $c_6 = -61$ 
 $c_8 = 1385$ 
 $c_{10} = -50521$ 

5 First we will do some algebra to make the derivatives simpler

$$\frac{1}{1-z-z^2} = \frac{1}{(\sqrt{5}/2 - z - 1/2)(z + 1/2 + \sqrt{5}/2)}$$
$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}/2 - z - 1/2} + \frac{1}{z + 1/2 + \sqrt{5}/2} \right)$$

Now we take the derivatives

$$f(0) = 1$$

$$f'(z) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left( \frac{1}{(\sqrt{5}/2 - 1/2 - z)^2} + \frac{(-1)^n}{(1/2 + \sqrt{5}/2 + z)^2} \right)$$

$$f'(0) = 1$$

$$f''(z) = \frac{2!}{\sqrt{5}} \left( \frac{1}{(\sqrt{5}/2 - 1/2 - z)^3} + \frac{(-1)^n}{(1/2 + \sqrt{5}/2 + z)^3} \right)$$

$$f''(0) = 2 \cdot 2$$

$$f^{(n)}(0) = \frac{n!}{\sqrt{5}} \left( \left( \frac{\sqrt{5} + 1}{2} \right)^{1+n} + (-1)^n \left( \frac{\sqrt{5} - 1}{2} \right)^{1+n} \right)$$

Thus we have the sequence.

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

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left( \left( \frac{\sqrt{5}+1}{2} \right)^{1+n} + (-1)^n \left( \frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{2} \right)^{1+n} \right) z^n$$

Thus

$$F_n = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left( \left( \frac{\sqrt{5} + 1}{2} \right)^{1+n} + (-1)^n \left( \frac{\sqrt{5} - 1}{2} \right)^{1+n} \right)$$

and you can clearly see from plugging in this formula for  ${\cal F}_n$  that  ${\cal F}_n={\cal F}_{n-1}+{\cal F}_{n-2}$ 

8 Let us first rewrite g(z) with power series:

$$g(z) = \frac{1}{3} \left( \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n \omega^n z^n + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n \omega^{2n} z^n \right)$$
$$= \frac{1}{3} \left( \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (1 + \omega^n + \omega^{2n}) a_n z^n \right)$$

Let us show that  $w^4 = w$  and  $w^3 = 1$ 

$$w^4 = e^{4 \cdot 2i\pi/3} = e^{8i\pi/3} = e^{2i\pi/3} = w$$
  
 $w^3 = e^{2i\pi 3/3} = 1$ 

Now we can take derivatives

$$\begin{split} g(0) &= a_0 \\ g'(z) &= \frac{1}{3} \left( \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (1 + \omega^n + \omega^{2n}) n a_n z^{n-1} \right) \\ g'(0) &= \frac{1}{3} \left( (1 + \omega + \omega^2) a_1 \right) = 0 \\ g''(z) &= \frac{1}{3} \left( \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (1 + \omega^n + \omega^{2n}) n (n-1) a_n z^{n-2} \right) \\ g''(0) &= \frac{1}{3} \left( (1 + \omega^2 + \omega^4) 2 a_2 \right) = 0 \\ g^{(3)}(z) &= \frac{1}{3} \left( \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} (1 + \omega^n + \omega^{2n}) n (n-1) (n-2) a_n z^{n-3} \right) \\ g^{(3)}(0) &= \frac{1}{3} \left( (1 + \omega^3 + \omega^6) 3! a_3 \right) = 3! a_3 \\ g^{(k)}(z) &= \frac{1}{3} \left( \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} (1 + \omega^n + \omega^{2n}) \frac{n! a_n z^{n-k}}{(n-k)!} \right) \\ g^{(k)}(0) &= \frac{1}{3} \left( (1 + \omega^k + \omega^{2k}) k! a_k \right) \end{split}$$

We can see that when k is divisible by 3 we get  $1/3(1 + \omega^k + \omega^{2k}) = 1$ . Otherwise we get 0 because:

$$1 + \omega^{3k+1} + \omega^{6k+2} = 1 + \omega\omega^{3k} + \omega^2\omega^{6k} = 1 + \omega + \omega^2 = 0$$
$$1 + \omega^{3k+2} + \omega^{6k+4} = 1 + \omega^2\omega^{3k} + \omega^4\omega^{6k} = 1 + \omega^2 + \omega = 0$$

Thus we have  $g^{(3n)}(0) = (3n)!a_{3n}$  so

$$g(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_{3n} z^{3n}$$

We can create the functions:

$$h_1(z) = \frac{1}{3} \left( \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (1 + \omega^{n+2} + \omega^{2n+2}) a_n z^n \right) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_{3n+1} z^{3n+1}$$

$$h_2(z) = \frac{1}{3} \left( \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (1 + \omega^{n+1} + \omega^{2n+1}) a_n z^n \right) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_{3n+2} z^{3n+2}$$