

COMPLEX VARIABLES

CALCULATIONS OF RESIDUES

Question 1

$$f(z) \equiv \frac{\sin z}{z^2}, z \in \mathbb{C}.$$

Find the residue of the pole of $f(z)$.

, $\text{res}(z=0)=1$

• $f(z)$ has a simple pole at $z=0$, which is very easy to find from its Laurent expansion

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= \frac{\sin z}{z^2} = \frac{1}{z^2} \left[z - \frac{z^3}{3!} + \frac{z^5}{5!} + O(z^7) \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{z} - \frac{1}{6}z^2 + \frac{1}{120}z^4 + O(z^6) \\ \therefore \text{residue is } 1 \end{aligned}$$

• Alternative is to use the standard method for a simple pole at $z=0$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{d}{dz} [z^{-2} f(z)] \right] &= \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{d}{dz} \left[z^{-2} \frac{\sin z}{z^2} \right] \right] \\ &= \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{d}{dz} \left(\frac{\sin z}{z^2} \right) \right] \\ \text{by L'Hopital rule} \Rightarrow &= \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{\cos z}{2z} \right) \\ &= 1 \quad \text{as required} \end{aligned}$$

Question 2

$$f(z) \equiv e^z z^{-5}, z \in \mathbb{C}.$$

Find the residue of the pole of $f(z)$.

, $\text{res}(z=0)=\frac{1}{24}$

• $f(z)$ has a simple pole of order 5 at the origin, which is easy to find directly from its Laurent expansion

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= e^z z^{-5} = \frac{e^z}{z^5} = \frac{1}{z^5} \left[1 + z + \frac{z^2}{2!} + \frac{z^3}{3!} + \frac{z^4}{4!} + \frac{z^5}{5!} + \dots \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{z^5} + \frac{1}{2!z^4} + \frac{1}{3!z^3} + \frac{1}{4!z^2} + \frac{1}{5!z} + \dots \\ \therefore \text{Required residue is } \frac{1}{24} \end{aligned}$$

• Alternative is to use the standard formula for finding a pole of order n at $z=0$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Res}(z=0) &= \frac{1}{(n-1)!} \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{d^{n-1}}{dz^{n-1}} (z^{-n} f(z)) \right] \\ \text{Res}(z=0) &= \frac{1}{4!} \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{d^4}{dz^4} \left(z^{-5} \times e^z \right) \right] \\ \therefore \text{Res}(z=0) &= \frac{1}{24} \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{d^4}{dz^4} (e^z) \right] \\ \text{Res}(z=0) &= \frac{1}{24} \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} [e^z] \\ \text{Res}(z=0) &= \frac{1}{24} \quad \text{as required} \end{aligned}$$

Question 3

$$f(z) \equiv \frac{z^2 + 2z + 1}{z^2 - 2z + 1}, z \in \mathbb{C}.$$

Find the residue of the pole of $f(z)$.

, $\text{res}(z=1) = 4$

FACTORISING THE FUNCTION

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

$f(z)$ HAS A DOUBLE POLE AT $z=1$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{z \rightarrow 1} \left[\frac{d}{dz} \left[(z-1)^2 f(z) \right] \right] &= \lim_{z \rightarrow 1} \left[\frac{d}{dz} \left[(z-1)^2 \frac{(z+1)^2}{(z-1)^2} \right] \right] \\ &= \lim_{z \rightarrow 1} \left[\frac{d}{dz} (z+1)^2 \right] \\ &= \lim_{z \rightarrow 1} [2(z+1)] \\ &= 4 \end{aligned}$$

Question 4

$$f(z) \equiv \frac{2z+1}{z^2 - z - 2}, z \in \mathbb{C}.$$

Find the residue of each of the two poles of $f(z)$.

, $\text{res}(z=2) = \frac{5}{3}$, $\text{res}(z=-1) = \frac{1}{3}$

START BY FACTORIZING THE DENOMINATOR

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

$f(z)$ HAS SIMPLE POLES AT $z=-1$ & AT $z=2$

- $\text{Res}(f, -1) = \lim_{z \rightarrow -1} [(z+1) f(z)] = \lim_{z \rightarrow -1} \left[(z+1) \frac{2z+1}{(z+1)(z-2)} \right]$

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

- $\text{Res}(f, 2) = \lim_{z \rightarrow 2} [(z-2) f(z)] = \lim_{z \rightarrow 2} \left[(z-2) \frac{2z+1}{(z+1)(z-2)} \right]$

$$= \frac{2(2)+1}{2+1} = \frac{5}{3}$$

Question 5

$$f(z) \equiv \frac{z}{2z^2 - 5z + 2}, z \in \mathbb{C}.$$

Find the residue of each of the two poles of $f(z)$.

$$\boxed{\quad}, \quad \boxed{\text{res}\left(z = \frac{1}{2}\right) = -\frac{1}{6}}, \quad \boxed{\text{res}(z = 2) = \frac{2}{3}}$$

SIMPLIFY FACTORISING THE DENOMINATOR

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= \frac{z}{2z^2 - 5z + 2} = \frac{z}{(2z-1)(z-2)} \\ f(z) \text{ HAS SIMPLE POLES AT } z = \frac{1}{2} \text{ & } z = 2. \\ \bullet \text{Res}\left(\frac{1}{2}; \frac{1}{2}\right) &= \lim_{z \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}} \left[(z - \frac{1}{2})f(z) \right] = \lim_{z \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}} \left[(z - \frac{1}{2}) \cdot \frac{z}{(2z-1)(z-2)} \right] \\ &= \lim_{z \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}} \left[(z - \frac{1}{2}) \times \frac{z}{2(z-1)(z-2)} \right] = \frac{\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}}{2(-\frac{1}{2})} = \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{-1} \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} \\ \bullet \text{Res}\left(\frac{1}{2}; 2\right) &= \lim_{z \rightarrow 2} \left[(z - 2)f(z) \right] = \lim_{z \rightarrow 2} \left[(z - 2) \cdot \frac{z}{(2z-1)(z-2)} \right] \\ &= \frac{2 - 2}{(2 \cdot 2 - 1)(2 - 2)} = \frac{0}{3} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Question 6

$$f(z) \equiv \frac{1-e^{iz}}{z^3}, z \in \mathbb{C}.$$

- a) Find the first four terms in the Laurent expansion of $f(z)$ and hence state the residue of the pole of $f(z)$.
- b) Determine the residue of the pole of $f(z)$ by an alternative method

$$\boxed{\text{Method 1}}, \quad \boxed{\text{res}(z=0) = \frac{1}{2}}$$

a) FINDING THE RESIDUE FROM THE LAURENT EXPANSION

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= \frac{1-e^{iz}}{z^3} = \frac{1}{z^3} \left[1 - \left[1 + (iz) + \frac{(iz)^2}{2!} + \frac{(iz)^3}{3!} + \frac{(iz)^4}{4!} + \dots \right] \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{z^3} \left[-iz - \frac{1}{2}i^2z^2 - \frac{1}{6}i^3z^3 - \frac{1}{24}i^4z^4 + \dots \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{z^3} \left[-iz + \frac{1}{2}z^2 + \frac{1}{6}iz^3 - \frac{1}{24}z^4 + \dots \right] \\ &= -\frac{1}{2z^2} + \frac{1}{6}z + \frac{1}{6}iz^2 - \frac{1}{24}z^3 + \dots \end{aligned}$$

∴ RESIDUE OF THE DOUBLE POLE AT ZERO IS $\frac{1}{6}$

b) NOT USING THE FORMULA OR THE RESIDUE OF POLE OF ORDER n

$$\text{res}(f; c) = \frac{1}{(n-1)!} \lim_{z \rightarrow c} \left[\frac{d^{n-1}}{dz^{n-1}} [(z-c)^n f(z)] \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{res}(f; 0) &= \frac{1}{1!} \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{d}{dz} \left[z^2 \times \frac{1-e^{iz}}{z^3} \right] \right] \quad \text{NOTE THAT IT IS A DOUBLE POLE NOT TRIPLE} \\ &= \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{d}{dz} \left[\frac{1-e^{iz}}{z} \right] \right] \\ &= \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{i(-e^{iz}) - (1-e^{iz})}{z^2} \right] = \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{-ie^{iz} + e^{iz} - 1}{z^2} \right] \\ \text{THIS IS "BECOME ZERO", BY L'HOSPITAL RULE WE OBTAIN} \\ &= \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{ie^{iz} + ie^{iz} - 0}{2z} \right] = \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{2ie^{iz}}{2z} \right] \\ &= \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{ie^{iz}}{z} \right] = \frac{1}{6} \quad \text{AS BEFORE} \end{aligned}$$

Question 7

$$f(z) = \frac{z^2 + 4}{z^3 + 2z^2 + 2z}, z \in \mathbb{C}$$

Find the residue of each of the three poles of $f(z)$.

$$\boxed{\text{res}(z=0)=2}, \boxed{\text{res}(z=-1+i)=\frac{1}{2}(-1+3i)}, \boxed{\text{res}(z=-1-i)=-\frac{1}{2}(1+3i)}$$

RESIDUE AT $z=0$, $z=-i$, $z=-1-i$

- $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} [z^{-1} f(z)] = \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{z^2 + 4}{z(z^2 + 2z)} \right] = \frac{4}{0} = \infty$
- $\lim_{z \rightarrow -i} \left[\frac{(z+i)^2 f(z)}{(z+i)^2} \right] = \lim_{z \rightarrow -i} \left[\frac{z^2 + 4}{(z+i)(z^2 + 2z)} \right] = \frac{(-i)^2 + 4}{(-i)(-i+2i)} = \frac{-1+4}{-i(-1+i)} = \frac{3}{-i+1} = \frac{3}{-2-i}$
- $\lim_{z \rightarrow -1-i} \left[\frac{(z+1+i)^2 f(z)}{(z+1+i)^2} \right] = \lim_{z \rightarrow -1-i} \left[\frac{z^2 + 4}{(z+1+i)(z^2 + 2z)} \right] = \frac{(-1-i)^2 + 4}{(-1-i)(-1-i+2i)} = \frac{-2-2i-1+4}{(-1-i)(-1+i)} = \frac{-3+2i}{-2-2i} = \frac{-1+\frac{2}{3}i}{-2} = \frac{1}{3}(-1+3i)$
- $\lim_{z \rightarrow -1-i} \left[\frac{(z+1-i)^2 f(z)}{(z+1-i)^2} \right] = \lim_{z \rightarrow -1-i} \left[\frac{z^2 + 4}{(z+1-i)(z^2 + 2z)} \right] = \frac{(-1+i)^2 + 4}{(-1+i)(-1-i+2i)} = \frac{(-1+i)^2 + 4}{(-1+i)(-1+i)} = \frac{(-1+2i-1)+4}{-2i} = \frac{-2+2i+4}{-2i} = \frac{2+2i}{-2i} = -\frac{1}{2}(1+2i)$

Question 8

$$f(z) = \frac{\tan 3z}{z^4}, z \in \mathbb{C}$$

Find the residue of the pole of $f(z)$.

$$\boxed{32}, \boxed{\text{res}(z=0)=9}$$

Start with the expansion of $\tan z$.

$\tan z = \text{term}_0$	$\tan z = 0$
$\tan z = \text{term}_1$	$\tan z = 1$
$\tan z = \text{term}_2$	$\tan z = 0$
$\tan z = \text{term}_3$	$\tan z = 2$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \tan 3z &= 2 + \frac{1}{3!}z^3 + O(z^5) \\ \Rightarrow \tan 3z &= 2 + \frac{1}{3}z^3 + O(z^5) \\ \Rightarrow \tan 3z &= (2z) + \frac{1}{3}z^3 + O(z^5) \\ \Rightarrow \tan 3z &= 32 + 9z^3 + O(z^5) \\ \Rightarrow \frac{1}{z^4} \tan 3z &= \frac{1}{24} \left[32 + 9z^3 + O(z^5) \right] \\ \Rightarrow f(z) &= \frac{32}{z^4} + \frac{9}{24}z + O(z) \end{aligned}$$

∴ RESIDUE AT THE POLE AT THE ORIGIN IS 9

Question 9

$$f(z) \equiv \frac{z^2 - 2z}{(z^2 + 4)(z+1)^2}, z \in \mathbb{C}.$$

Find the residue of each of the three poles of $f(z)$.

$$\boxed{\text{res}(z=2i) = \frac{1}{25}(7+i)}, \boxed{\text{res}(z=-2i) = \frac{1}{25}(7-i)}, \boxed{\text{res}(z=-1) = -\frac{14}{25}}$$

$f(z) = \frac{z^2 - 2z}{(z^2 + 4)(z+1)^2} = \frac{z^2 - 2z}{(z+2i)(z-2i)(z+1)^2}$ (Hence simple poles at $z = \pm 2i$,
Hence double pole at $z = -1$)

• RESIDUE AT $z = 2i$

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow 2i} \left[\frac{z^2 - 2z}{(z+2i)(z-2i)(z+1)^2} \right] = \lim_{z \rightarrow 2i} \left[\frac{z^2 - 2z}{(z-2i)(z+1)^2} \right] = \frac{-4 - 4i}{4i(1+2i)^2}$$

$$= \frac{-1 - i}{1 + 5i} = \frac{(1-i)(1-2i)^2}{1 \times 5 \times 5} = \frac{-(1+i)(1-4i-4)}{25i} = \frac{-(1+i)(-3+i)}{25i}$$

$$= \frac{(-1+i)(3+i)}{25i} = \frac{3+i-3i-i^2}{25i} = \frac{-1+7i}{25i} = i - \frac{7}{25}i = \frac{7i}{25}$$

• RESIDUE AT $z = -2i$

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow -2i} \left[\frac{z^2 - 2z}{(z+2i)(z-2i)(z+1)^2} \right] = \lim_{z \rightarrow -2i} \left[\frac{z^2 - 2z}{(z+2i)(z+1)^2} \right] = \frac{-4 + 4i}{(1-2i)^2(2i)}$$

$$= \frac{1 - i}{1 \times 5 \times 5} = \frac{(1-i)(1+2i)^2}{1 \times 5 \times 5} = \frac{(1-i)(1+4i-4)}{25i} = \frac{(1-i)(-3+4i)}{25i} = \frac{-3+4i+4i+4}{25i}$$

$$= \frac{1+7i}{25i} = i - \frac{7}{25}i = \frac{7i}{25}$$

• RESIDUE AT $z = -1$

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow -1} \left[\frac{1}{(z+2i)} \left[\frac{z^2 - 2z}{(z+2i)(z-2i)(z+1)^2} \right] \right] = \lim_{z \rightarrow -1} \left[\frac{1}{(z+2i)} \left(\frac{z^2 - 2z}{z^2 + 4} \right) \right] = \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{1}{z+2i} \left(\frac{z^2 - 2z}{z^2 + 4} \right) \right]$$

$$= \frac{5(-1+2i)}{5 \cdot 2i} = -\frac{25-25i}{25i} = -\frac{1-i}{2i}$$

Question 10

$$f(z) \equiv \frac{1}{e^z - 1}, z \in \mathbb{C}.$$

Find the residue of the pole of $f(z)$, at the origin.

$$\boxed{\text{res}(z=0) = 1}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(z) &= \frac{1}{e^z - 1} = \frac{1}{1 + z + \frac{z^2}{2!} + \frac{z^3}{3!} + \dots - 1} = \frac{1}{z + \frac{z^2}{2!} + \frac{z^3}{3!} + \dots} \\
 &= \frac{1}{z \left[1 + \frac{z}{2!} + O(z^2) \right]} = \frac{1}{z} \left(1 + \frac{z}{2!} + O(z^2) \right)^{-1} \\
 &= \frac{1}{z} \left[1 - \frac{1}{2}z + O(z^2) \right] = \frac{1}{z} - \frac{1}{2} + O(z)
 \end{aligned}$$

∴ Residue 1

Question 11

$$f(z) = \frac{z}{(3z^2 - 10iz - 3)^2}, z \in \mathbb{C}$$

Find the residue of each of the two poles of $f(z)$.

$$\boxed{\text{res}(z = 3i) = \frac{5}{256}}, \quad \boxed{\text{res}\left(z = \frac{1}{3}i\right) = -\frac{5}{256}}$$

$\frac{1}{f(z)} = \frac{2i}{(3z^2 - 10iz - 3)^2}$

$$\begin{aligned} 3z^2 - 10iz - 3 &= 3\left[z^2 - \frac{10}{3}iz - 1\right] = 3\left[\left(z - \frac{5}{3}i\right)^2 + \frac{25}{9}i^2 - 1\right] \\ &= 3\left[\left(z - \frac{5}{3}i\right)^2 + \frac{25}{9}(-1) - 1\right] = 3\left[\left(z - \frac{5}{3}i\right)^2 - \frac{28}{9}\right] \\ &= 3\left(z - 3i\right)\left(z - \frac{1}{3}i\right) \\ &= (z - 3i)(z - \frac{1}{3}i) \end{aligned}$$

$f(z)$ has double poles at $z = 3i$ & $\frac{1}{3}i$

- $\lim_{z \rightarrow 3i} \left[\frac{1}{z-3i} \left[\frac{(2-3i)^2 - \frac{2i}{(3z^2-10iz-3)^2}}{(z-3i)^2} \right] \right] = \lim_{z \rightarrow 3i} \left[\frac{1}{z-3i} \left[\frac{2}{(z-3i)^2} \right] \right]$
- $= \lim_{z \rightarrow 3i} \left[\frac{(3i-1)^2 - 1}{(3i-1)^4} \cdot \frac{2}{(z-3i)^2} \right] = \lim_{z \rightarrow 3i} \left[\frac{2}{(z-3i)^2} \right]$
- $= \lim_{z \rightarrow 3i} \left[\frac{-1 - 3i}{(3i-1)^2} \right] = \frac{-1 - 3i}{(3i-1)^2} = \frac{-10i}{(9i^2-6i+1)} = \frac{-10i}{-80i} = \frac{5}{40i} = \frac{5}{256}$
- $\bullet \lim_{z \rightarrow \frac{1}{3}i} \left[\frac{1}{z-\frac{1}{3}i} \left[\frac{(2-\frac{1}{3}i)^2 - \frac{2i}{(3z^2-10iz-3)^2}}{(z-\frac{1}{3}i)^2} \right] \right] = \lim_{z \rightarrow \frac{1}{3}i} \left[\frac{1}{z-\frac{1}{3}i} \left[\frac{2}{(z-\frac{1}{3}i)^2} \right] \right]$
- $= \frac{1}{\frac{1}{3}i} \lim_{z \rightarrow \frac{1}{3}i} \left[\frac{(2-\frac{1}{3}i)^2 - 1}{(2-\frac{1}{3}i)^4} \cdot \frac{2}{(z-\frac{1}{3}i)^2} \right] = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{3}i} \lim_{z \rightarrow \frac{1}{3}i} \left[\frac{(2-1)-2i}{(2-3i)^2} \right]$
- $= \frac{1}{\frac{1}{3}i} \lim_{z \rightarrow \frac{1}{3}i} \left[\frac{-2-3i}{(2-3i)^2} \right] = -\frac{1}{\frac{1}{3}i} \lim_{z \rightarrow \frac{1}{3}i} \left[\frac{2+3i}{(2-3i)^2} \right] = -\frac{1}{\frac{1}{3}i} \left[\frac{\frac{1}{3}i+3i}{(-\frac{5}{3}i)^2} \right]$
- $= -\frac{1}{\frac{1}{3}i} + \frac{\frac{10}{3}}{\frac{25}{9}i^2} = -\frac{3}{\frac{25}{9}i} = -\frac{9}{25i} = -\frac{9}{256}$

Question 12

$$f(z) \equiv \frac{\cot z \coth z}{z^3}, \quad z \in \mathbb{C}.$$

Find the residue of the pole of $f(z)$ at $z=0$.

, $\text{res}(z=0) = -\frac{7}{45}$

IT IS BEST TO FIND THIS RESIDUE BY EXPANSION AS $f(z) = \frac{\cot z \coth z}{z^3}$

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= \frac{1}{z^3} \times \frac{\cot z}{\sin z} \times \frac{\cosh z}{\sinh z} \\ &= \frac{1}{z^3} \times \left(1 - \frac{z^2}{3} + \frac{z^4}{45} + O(z^6) \right) \times \left(1 + \frac{z^2}{6} + \frac{z^4}{120} + O(z^6) \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{z^3} \times \left(1 - \frac{z^2}{3} + \frac{z^4}{45} + O(z^6) \right) \times \left(1 + \frac{z^2}{6} + \frac{z^4}{120} + O(z^6) \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{z^3} \times \left(1 + \frac{z^2}{18} - \frac{z^4}{135} - \frac{z^6}{405} + O(z^8) \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{z^3} \times \left(1 - \frac{z^2}{18} + O(z^6) \right) \\ &\quad \text{REWRITE IN ORDER TO COMPLETE THE EXPANSION} \\ &= \frac{1}{z^3} \left[\left(1 - \frac{1}{2}z^2 + O(z^4) \right) \left[1 - \frac{1}{18}z^2 + O(z^4) \right]^{-1} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{z^3} \left[\left(1 - \frac{1}{2}z^2 + O(z^4) \right) \left(1 + \frac{1}{18}z^2 + O(z^4) \right) \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{z^3} \left[1 + \frac{1}{36}z^2 - \frac{1}{36}z^2 + O(z^6) \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{z^3} \left[1 - \frac{7}{36}z^2 + O(z^6) \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{z^3} - \frac{7}{432}z^0 + O(z^6) \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore \text{Residue } 12 = -\frac{7}{45}$

Question 13

$$f(z) \equiv \frac{z^6 + 1}{2z^5 - 5z^4 + 2z^3}, z \in \mathbb{C}.$$

Find the residue of each of the three poles of $f(z)$.

$$\boxed{\text{res}(z = \frac{1}{2}) = -\frac{65}{24}}, \boxed{\text{res}(z = 2) = \frac{65}{24}}, \boxed{\text{res}(z = 0) = \frac{21}{8}}$$

$$f(z) = \frac{z^6 + 1}{2z^5 - 5z^4 + 2z^3} = \frac{z^6 + 1}{2^3(3z^2 - 5z + 2)} = \frac{z^6 + 1}{2^3(3z-1)(z-2)}$$

SHREVE RULES AT $z = \frac{1}{2}$, $z = 2$ & TRIPLE RULE AT $z = 0$

- $\bullet \lim_{z \rightarrow 2} \left[\frac{(z-2)^3}{2^3(3z-1)(z-2)} \right] = \frac{2^6 + 1}{2^3 \times 3} = \frac{65}{24} //$
- $\bullet \lim_{z \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}} \left[\frac{(z-\frac{1}{2})^3}{2^3(3z-1)(z-\frac{1}{2})} \right] = \frac{(\frac{1}{2})^6 + 1}{2^3(\frac{1}{2}-1)} = -\frac{1}{3} + 1 = -\frac{1+64}{24} = -\frac{65}{24} //$
- \bullet FOR THE TRIPLE RULE IT IS EASIER TO GET A LAURENT EXPANSION AROUND $z=0$
 $f(z) = \frac{1+z^6}{2^3(z-2)(z-2)} = \frac{1+z^6}{2^3(-1+2z) \times 2(1-\frac{1}{z})} = \frac{1}{2^3} \frac{(1+2z)(1-2z)(1-z)^{-1}}{(1-2z)(1-\frac{1}{z})} = \dots \frac{1}{2^3} (1+2z)(1+2z+4z^2\dots)(1+\frac{1}{2}z+4z^2\dots)$
 $= \dots \frac{1}{2^3} \times 1 \times (\dots + 2z^2 + 2z^2 + 4z^2\dots) = \dots \frac{8z}{2^3} \dots //$

ANOTHER WAY FOR THE TRIPLE RULE

$$\begin{aligned} &\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{z^3}{2^3(3z-1)(z-2)} \right] = \frac{1}{2^3} \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{z^6}{2^3(3z^2-5z+2)} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2^3} \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{d}{dz} \left(\frac{(3z^2-5z+2)(z^2-4z+5)}{(3z^2-5z+2)^2} \right) \right] = \frac{1}{2^3} \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{d}{dz} \left(\frac{9z^4-30z^3+25z^2-40z^2+40z-15}{(3z^2-5z+2)^2} \right) \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{d}{dz} \left(\frac{30z^2-50z^3+12z^4-40z^2+40z-15}{(3z^2-5z+2)^2} \right) \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{(30z^2-50z^3+12z^4-40z^2+40z-15) - 2(60z^3-25z^4+12z^5-40z^3+15)(3z^2-5z+2)(4z-5)}{(2z^2-5z+2)^4} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{30z^2-50z^3+12z^4-40z^2+40z-15}{2^4} = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{-16+100}{16} = \frac{84}{32} = \frac{21}{8} // \end{aligned}$$

Question 14

$$f(z) \equiv \frac{4}{z^2(1-2i)+6zi-(1+2i)}, z \in \mathbb{C}.$$

Find the residue of each of the two poles of $f(z)$.

$$\boxed{\operatorname{res}(z=2-i)=i}, \boxed{\operatorname{res}\left(z=\frac{1}{5}(2-i)\right)=-i}$$

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

BY THE QUADRATIC FORMULA

$$z = \frac{-6i \pm \sqrt{(6i)^2 - 4(1-2i)(1+2i)}}{2(1-2i)} = \frac{-6i \pm \sqrt{-36 + 48i}}{2(1-2i)} = \frac{-6i \pm \sqrt{-12}}{2(1-2i)}$$

$$= \frac{-6i \pm 2i\sqrt{3}}{2(1-2i)} = \frac{(3 \pm 2i)}{1-2i} = \begin{cases} \frac{3+2i}{1-2i} & = \frac{(3+2i)(1+2i)}{(1-2i)(1+2i)} = \frac{1+7i}{5} \\ \frac{-3+2i}{1-2i} & = \frac{(-3+2i)(1+2i)}{(1-2i)(1+2i)} = \frac{-5+4i}{5} \end{cases} = (2-i)$$

$f(z)$ HAS SIMPLE POLES AT $z=2-i$ & $\frac{1}{5}(2-i)$

- $\lim_{z \rightarrow 2-i} \left[(z-2+i) \times \frac{4}{z^2(1-2i)+6zi-(1+2i)} \right] = \frac{0}{0} \Rightarrow \dots$ BY L'HOSPITAL...
- $= \lim_{z \rightarrow 2-i} \left[\frac{4}{2z(1-2i)+6i} \right] = \frac{4}{2(2-i)(1-2i)+6i} = \frac{2}{(2-i)(1-2i)+3i}$
- $= \frac{2}{2-4i-i-2+3i} = \frac{2}{-3i} = -\frac{2}{3} = -\frac{2}{3}i$
- $\lim_{z \rightarrow \frac{1}{5}(2-i)} \left[(z-\frac{1}{5}(2-i)) \times \frac{4}{z^2(1-2i)+6zi-(1+2i)} \right] = \frac{0}{0} \Rightarrow \dots$ BY L'HOSPITAL...
- $= \lim_{z \rightarrow \frac{1}{5}(2-i)} \left[\frac{4}{2z(1-2i)+6i} \right] = \frac{4}{2 \times \frac{1}{5}(2-i)(1-2i)+6i} = \frac{10}{(2-i)(1-2i)+15i}$
- $= \frac{10}{2-4i-i-2+15i} = \frac{10}{15i} = \frac{1}{15} = \frac{1}{15}i$

Question 15

$$f(z) \equiv \frac{ze^{kz}}{z^4 + 1}, z \in \mathbb{C}, k \in \mathbb{R}, k > 0.$$

Show that the sum of the residues of the four poles of $f(z)$, is

$$\sin\left(\frac{k}{\sqrt{2}}\right) \sinh\left(\frac{k}{\sqrt{2}}\right).$$

, proof

IT IS BEST TO WORK WITH EXPONENTIALS IN THIS QUESTION

$$f(z) = \frac{ze^{kz}}{z^4 + 1} \text{ has simple poles at:}$$

$$z^4 + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow z^4 = -1 \Rightarrow z^4 = e^{i\pi(2m+1)}, m=0,1,2,3$$

$$z = e^{i\pi/4}(2m+1), m=0,1,2,3 \quad (\text{at } z_1=1, z_2=i, z_3=-1, z_4=-i)$$

$$z = e^{i\pi/4}, e^{3i\pi/4}, e^{-i\pi/4}, e^{-3i\pi/4}$$

CALCULATE THREE RESIDUES USING A GENERAL METHOD - LET A POLE BE AT $z=z_0$,

$$\text{Res}(f; z_0) = \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \left[\frac{(z-z_0)z^4e^{kz}}{z^4+1} \right]$$

This will produce "three over zero" as $z-z_0$ will be a factor of the denominator so we proceed by L'HOSPITAL RULE

$$\text{Res}(f; z_0) = \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \left[\frac{\frac{d}{dz}[(z-z_0)e^{kz}]}{\frac{d}{dz}(z^4+1)} \right] = \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \left[\frac{ze^{kz} + (z-z_0)ke^{kz} + (z-z_0)^2k^2e^{kz} + (z-z_0)^3k^3e^{kz}}{4z^3} \right]$$

$$\text{Res}(f; z_0) = \frac{z_0e^{kz_0}}{4z_0^3} = \frac{e^{kz_0}}{4z_0^2}$$

RECALCULATE THE RESIDUE AT EACH OF THE FOUR POLES

$$z_1 = e^{i\pi/4}, \text{ gives } \frac{e^{ki\pi/4}}{4e^{i\pi/4}} = \frac{e^{i(k\pi/4)}}{4i}$$

$$z_2 = e^{3i\pi/4}, \text{ gives } \frac{e^{k(3i\pi/4)}}{4e^{3i\pi/4}} = \frac{e^{i(k(3\pi/4))}}{-4i}$$

$$z_3 = e^{-i\pi/4}, \text{ gives } \frac{e^{k(-i\pi/4)}}{4e^{-i\pi/4}} = \frac{e^{i(-k\pi/4)}}{-4i}$$

$$z_4 = e^{-3i\pi/4}, \text{ gives } \frac{e^{k(-3i\pi/4)}}{4e^{-3i\pi/4}} = \frac{e^{i(-k(3\pi/4))}}{4i}$$

ADDING THE 4 RESIDUES - LET $a = \frac{k\pi}{4} = \frac{\pi k}{4}$ FOR SIMPLICITY

$$\text{SUM OF 4 RESIDUES} = \frac{e^{i(a+\frac{\pi}{4})}}{4i} + \frac{e^{i(a-\frac{3\pi}{4})}}{-4i} + \frac{e^{i(-a+\frac{\pi}{4})}}{-4i} + \frac{e^{i(-a-\frac{3\pi}{4})}}{4i}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4i} \left[e^{ia}e^{i\pi/4} - e^{ia}e^{-i\pi/4} - e^{-ia}e^{i\pi/4} + e^{-ia}e^{-i\pi/4} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{4i} \left[e^{ik} \left(e^{i\pi/4} - e^{-i\pi/4} \right) - e^{-ik} \left(e^{i\pi/4} - e^{-i\pi/4} \right) \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{4i} \left[\left(e^{ik} - e^{-ik} \right) \left(e^{i\pi/4} - e^{-i\pi/4} \right) \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{4i} \times 2\sinh(ak) \times 2\sinh(ak)$$

$$= \frac{1}{4i} \times 2i \sin(ak) \times 2i \sinh(ak)$$

$$= \sin(ak) \sinh(ak)$$

$$= \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) \sinh\left(\frac{\pi k}{4}\right)$$

As required

LAURENT SERIES

Question 1

Determine a Laurent series for

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

which is valid in the infinite annulus $|z-1| > 1$.

$$\boxed{\quad}, \quad \frac{1}{z} = \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \left[\frac{(-1)^{r+1}}{(z-1)^r} \right]$$

WE PROCEED AS FOLLOWS

$$\frac{1}{z} = \frac{1}{1+(z-1)} = \frac{1}{z-1} \left(\frac{1}{1+\frac{1}{z-1}} \right)$$

EXPAND USING $\frac{1}{1+x} = 1-x+x^2-x^3+\dots$ $|x| < 1$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{z} = \frac{1}{z-1} \left[1 - \frac{1}{(z-1)} + \frac{1}{(z-1)^2} - \frac{1}{(z-1)^3} + \frac{1}{(z-1)^4} - \dots \right]$$
$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{z} = \frac{1}{z-1} - \frac{1}{(z-1)^2} + \frac{1}{(z-1)^3} - \frac{1}{(z-1)^4} + \frac{1}{(z-1)^5} - \dots$$

VALID FOR $\left| \frac{1}{z-1} \right| < 1$
 $|z-1| > 1$

$\therefore \frac{1}{z} = \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{r+1}}{(z-1)^r}$ FOR ANNULUS $|z-1| > 1$

Question 2

Determine a Laurent series for

$$f(z) = \frac{e^{2z}}{(z-1)^3},$$

about its singularity, and hence state the residue of $f(z)$ about its singularity.

$$\boxed{\text{[]}}, \quad f(z) = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \left[\frac{e^2 2^r (z-1)^{r-3}}{r!} \right], \quad \boxed{\text{res}(z=1) = 2e^2}$$

(a) HAS A TRIPLE POLE AT $z=1$ — LET $w=z-1$

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

$\boxed{f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{e^2 e^n z^{n-3}}{n!}}$

$\boxed{f(z) = \frac{e^2}{(z-1)^3} + \frac{2e^2}{(z-1)^2} + \frac{2e^2}{z-1} + \frac{4e^2}{3} + \frac{8e^2}{3}(z-1) + \dots}$

AND THE RESIDUE IS $2e^2$

Question 3

Determine a Laurent series for

$$f(z) = (z+2)\sin\left(\frac{1}{z-2}\right),$$

about $z = 2$.

$$f(z) = \dots + \frac{4}{5!(z-2)^5} + \frac{1}{5!(z-2)^4} - \frac{4}{3!(z-2)^3} - \frac{1}{3!(z-2)^2} + \frac{4}{z-2} + 1$$

SOLN A: SUBSTITUTION

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= (z+2)\sin\left(\frac{1}{z-2}\right) \\ f(w) &= (w+2)\sin\left(\frac{1}{w}\right) \end{aligned}$$

$w = z-2$
 $z = w+2$
 $z-2 = w$

USING A SIN STANDARD EXPANSION

$$\begin{aligned} f(w) &\sim (w+2) \left[\frac{1}{w} - \frac{1}{3!w^3} + \frac{1}{5!w^5} - \frac{1}{7!w^7} \dots \right] \\ f(w) &= 1 + \frac{4}{w} - \frac{1}{3!w^3} + \frac{1}{5!w^5} - \frac{1}{7!w^7} + \dots \\ \frac{4}{w} &= \frac{4}{3!w^3} + \frac{4}{5!w^5} - \frac{4}{7!w^7} + \dots \end{aligned}$$

WRITE IN ORDER

$$\begin{aligned} f(w) &= 1 + \frac{4}{w} - \frac{1}{3!w^3} + \frac{1}{5!w^5} - \frac{1}{7!w^7} + \dots \\ f(w) &= \dots \frac{4}{3!w^3} + \frac{4}{5!w^5} - \frac{4}{7!w^7} + \frac{4}{9!w^9} + \dots \\ f(z) &= \frac{4}{3!(z-2)^3} + \frac{1}{5!(z-2)^5} - \frac{4}{7!(z-2)^7} - \frac{1}{9!(z-2)^9} + \frac{4}{(z-2)^2} + 1 \\ f(z) &= \dots \frac{4}{3!(z-2)^3} + \frac{4}{5!(z-2)^5} - \frac{4}{7!(z-2)^7} - \frac{4}{9!(z-2)^9} + \frac{4}{(z-2)^2} + 1 \end{aligned}$$

Question 4

Determine a Laurent series for

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

which is valid in the punctured disc $0 < |z-1| < 2$.

	$\boxed{\quad}$	$\boxed{\frac{1}{z^2-1} = \sum_{r=-1}^{\infty} \left[\frac{(z-1)^r (-1)^{r+1}}{2^{r+2}} \right]}$
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- NEED AN EXPANSION IN POWERS OF $\frac{z-1}{2}$
- $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{z^2-1} = \frac{1}{(2+(z-1))} = \frac{1}{2-1} \left[\frac{1}{2+\frac{z-1}{2-1}} \right] = \frac{1}{2-1} \left[\frac{1}{2-\frac{z-1}{2-1}} \right]$
- CREATING A STANDARD BINOMIAL
- $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2^2-1} = \frac{1}{2-1} \left[\frac{1}{2+\frac{z-1}{2-1}} \right] = \frac{1}{2(2-1)} \left[\frac{1}{1+\frac{z-1}{2}} \right]$
- THE EXPANSION IS VALID FOR
 - $0 < \left| \frac{z-1}{2} \right| < 1$
 - $0 < |z-1| < 2$, AS REQUIRED
- RETURNING TO THE LAURENT
- $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2^2-1} = \frac{1}{2(2-1)} \left[1 - \frac{2-1}{2} + \frac{(2-1)^2}{2^2} - \frac{(2-1)^3}{2^3} + \frac{(2-1)^4}{2^4} - \dots \right]$
- $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{z^2-1} = \frac{1}{2(2-1)} - \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{(z-1)}{2^3} - \frac{(z-1)^2}{2^4} + \frac{(z-1)^3}{2^5} - \dots$
- $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{z^2-1} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\frac{(z-1)^n (-1)^{n+1}}{2^{n+2}} \right]$

Question 5

Determine a Laurent series for

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{z+4},$$

which is valid for $|z| > 4$.

, $\frac{1}{z+4} = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \left[\frac{(-4)^r}{z^{r+1}} \right]$

MANIPULATE THE FUNCTION AS FOLLOWS
 $f(z) = \frac{1}{z+4} = \frac{1}{z(1+\frac{4}{z})} = \frac{1}{z} \left(1 + \frac{4}{z}\right)^{-1}$
EXPANDING BINOMIALLY NOTING THAT THE RADIUS OF CONVERGENCE MUST BE
 $|z| < 1$
 $|z| > 4$
HENCE WE OBTAIN
 $f(z) = \frac{1}{z} \left[1 - \frac{4}{z} + \frac{16}{z^2} - \frac{64}{z^3} + \frac{256}{z^4} - \dots \right]$
 $f(z) = \frac{1}{z} - \frac{4}{z^2} + \frac{16}{z^3} - \frac{64}{z^4} + \frac{256}{z^5} - \dots$

Question 6

Determine a Laurent series for

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

which is valid in the annulus $1 < |z-i| < 2$.

$$\boxed{\quad}, \quad \frac{5z+3i}{z(z+i)} = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \left[\frac{3(-i)^r}{(z-i)^{r+1}} \right] - i \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \left[\frac{(z-i)^r}{(-2i)^r} \right]$$

POLAR FORM OF FRACTION (CLOSER UP)

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

THE SINGULARITIES OF $f(z)$ ARE SIMPLY POLES AT THE ORIGIN & AT i .

EXPANDING $\frac{3}{2}$ FOR $|z-i| > 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{3}{2} &= \frac{3}{1+(z-i)} = \frac{3}{2} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{1+\frac{z-i}{2}} \right) \\ &= \frac{3}{2} \left[1 + \frac{z-i}{2} \right]^{-1} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} |z-i| > 1 \\ \text{OR} \\ |z-i| < 1 \end{array} \right\} \\ &= \frac{3}{2} \left[1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2^2} + \dots \right] \\ &= \frac{3}{2} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left[\frac{(-1)^n}{2^n} (-1)^n \right] = -3 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{2^n} \end{aligned}$$

EXPANDING $\frac{2}{z-i}$ FOR $|z-i| < 2$

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

ADDING THE EXPANSIONS FOR $1 < |z-i| < 2$

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

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NEGATIVE POWERS POSITIVE POWERS

Question 7

Determine a Laurent series for

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

which is valid in ...

- a) ... the annulus $1 < |z-2| < 4$.
- b) ... in the region for which $|z-2| > 4$.

,
$$f(z) = \frac{1}{3} \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} [(-1)^{r+1} (z-2)^{-r}] - \frac{1}{12} \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} [(-1)^r \left(\frac{z-2}{4}\right)^r],$$

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

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

If we choose a circle at $z=2$, then

- $\frac{1}{z-1}$ can be expanded for $|z-2| < 1$ or $|z-2| > 1$
- $\frac{1}{z+2}$ can be expanded for $|z-2| < 4$ or $|z-2| > 4$

Both can be expanded for $1 < |z-2| < 4$ or $|z-2| > 4$

a) FIRSTLY IN THE ANNULUS $1 < |z-2| < 4$

- EXPAND $\frac{1}{z-1}$ for $|z-2| < 4$
$$\frac{1}{z-1} = \frac{1}{(z-2)+1} = \frac{1}{1+\frac{1}{z-2}} \quad |z-2| < 4$$

$$= \frac{1}{1} \left[1 - \frac{1}{z-2} + \frac{1}{(z-2)^2} - \frac{1}{(z-2)^3} + \dots \right]$$
- EXPAND $\frac{1}{z+2}$ for $|z-2| > 1$
$$\frac{1}{z+2} = \frac{1}{(z-2)+4} = \frac{1}{4+\frac{1}{z-2}} \quad |z-2| > 1$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left[1 + \frac{1}{z-2} + \frac{1}{(z-2)^2} + \frac{1}{(z-2)^3} + \dots \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left[1 + \frac{1}{z-2} + \frac{1}{(z-2)^2} + \frac{1}{(z-2)^3} + \dots \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left[1 + \frac{1}{z-2} + \frac{1}{(z-2)^2} + \frac{1}{(z-2)^3} + \dots \right]$$

COMBINING RESULTS

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{3} \left[\frac{1}{z-1} - \frac{1}{z+2} \right]$$

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{3} \left[\frac{1}{1-\frac{1}{z-2}} - \frac{1}{4+\frac{1}{z-2}} \right] = \frac{1}{3} \left[\frac{1}{1-\frac{1}{z-2}} - \frac{1}{4} \left(1 + \frac{1}{z-2} + \frac{1}{(z-2)^2} + \dots \right) \right]$$

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{3} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{z-2}^{n-1} - \frac{1}{12} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(z-2)^{n+1}}$$

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{3} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n (z-2)^{-n} - \frac{1}{12} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (z-2)^n (z-1)^{-n}$$

a) NOW WE NEED THE SAME EXPANSIONS, BOTH VALID OUTSIDE THE BIG CIRCLE, i.e. $|z-2| > 4$

- $\frac{1}{z+2} = \frac{1}{(z-2)+4} = \frac{1}{4-\frac{1}{z-2}} = \frac{1}{4} \left[1 + \frac{1}{4-z} \right] \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} |z-2| < 1 \\ |z-2| > 4 \end{array} \right.$
- $\frac{1}{z-1} = \frac{1}{(z-2)+1} = \frac{1}{z-2} \left[1 + \frac{1}{z-2} \right] \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} |z-2| < 1 \\ |z-2| > 4 \end{array} \right.$

COLLECTING THE RESULTS

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{3} \left[\frac{1}{z-1} - \frac{1}{z+2} \right]$$

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{3} \left[\frac{1}{z-2} - \frac{1}{4-\frac{1}{z-2}} + \frac{1}{z-2} - \frac{1}{4} \left(1 + \frac{1}{4-z} + \frac{1}{(4-z)^2} + \dots \right) \right]$$

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{3} \left[\frac{1}{z-2} - \frac{1}{4-\frac{1}{z-2}} - \frac{1}{4} \left(1 + \frac{1}{4-z} + \frac{1}{(4-z)^2} + \dots \right) \right]$$

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{3} \left[\frac{1}{z-2} - \frac{1}{4-\frac{1}{z-2}} - \frac{1}{4} \left(1 + \frac{1}{4-z} + \frac{1}{(4-z)^2} + \dots \right) \right]$$

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

VARIOUS PROBLEMS

Question 1

The complex number $z = c + a\cos\theta + i b\sin\theta$, $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$, traces a closed contour C , where a , b and c are positive real numbers with $a > c$.

By considering

$$\oint_C \frac{1}{z} dz,$$

show that

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \frac{a + c\cos\theta}{(c + a\cos\theta)^2 + (b\sin\theta)^2} d\theta = \frac{2\pi}{b}.$$

proof

$\int_0^{2\pi} \frac{a + c\cos\theta}{(c + a\cos\theta)^2 + b^2\sin^2\theta} d\theta = \frac{2\pi}{b}$, $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$, $a > c$

Let $z = c + a\cos\theta + i b\sin\theta$, $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$

$dz = -a\sin\theta d\theta + ib\cos\theta d\theta$

$dz = (-a\sin\theta + ib\cos\theta) d\theta$

Now consider the integral curve

$$\Rightarrow \oint_C \frac{1}{z} dz = 2\pi i \quad (\text{c is inside } C \text{ as } a > c)$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1}{[c + a\cos\theta] + i[b\sin\theta]} (a\cos\theta + ib\sin\theta) d\theta = 2\pi i$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{[-a\sin\theta + ib\cos\theta][[(c + a\cos\theta) - i b\sin\theta]]}{[(c + a\cos\theta) + ib\sin\theta][(c + a\cos\theta) - i b\sin\theta]} d\theta = 2\pi i$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{(-a\sin\theta + ib\cos\theta)[(c + a\cos\theta) - i b\sin\theta]}{(c + a\cos\theta)^2 + b^2\sin^2\theta} d\theta = 2\pi i$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{[-a(c + a\cos\theta)\cos\theta + b^2\sin^2\theta] + i[c\cos\theta + a\cos^2\theta + b\sin\theta\cos\theta]}{(c + a\cos\theta)^2 + b^2\sin^2\theta} d\theta = 2\pi i$$

Now separating the integral into real & imaginary

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \frac{(b^2 - a^2)a\cos\theta - a\cos^2\theta}{(c + a\cos\theta)^2 + b^2\sin^2\theta} d\theta + i \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{ab + b\cos\theta}{(c + a\cos\theta)^2 + b^2\sin^2\theta} d\theta = 2\pi i$$

The real integral times zero
looking at the imaginary integral

$$ib \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{a + c\cos\theta}{(c + a\cos\theta)^2 + b^2\sin^2\theta} d\theta = 2\pi i$$

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \frac{a + c\cos\theta}{(c + a\cos\theta)^2 + b^2\sin^2\theta} d\theta = \frac{2\pi}{b}$$