

Math 316 Assignment 1

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Problem 1. Suppose $|z| = 1$. Let $y = \frac{z-1}{z+1}$,

$$\bar{y} = \frac{\overline{z-1}}{\overline{z+1}} = \frac{\overline{z-1}}{\overline{z+1}} = \frac{\bar{z}-1}{\bar{z}+1}$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} y + \bar{y} &= \frac{z-1}{z+1} + \frac{\bar{z}-1}{\bar{z}+1} \\ &= \frac{z-1}{z+1} \cdot \frac{\bar{z}+1}{\bar{z}+1} + \frac{\bar{z}-1}{\bar{z}+1} \cdot \frac{z+1}{z+1} \\ &= \frac{z\bar{z} - \bar{z} + z - 1 + z\bar{z} - z + \bar{z} - 1}{(z+1)(\bar{z}+1)} \\ &= \frac{2(|z|^2 - 1)}{(z+1)(\bar{z}+1)} \end{aligned}$$

Using $|z| = 1$,

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{2(1^2 - 1)}{(z+1)(\bar{z}+1)} \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Since $y + \bar{y} = 2\operatorname{Re}(y)$, we have $2\operatorname{Re}(y) = 0$ and therefore we conclude that $y = \frac{z-1}{z+1}$ is purely imaginary.

Now, suppose $\frac{z-1}{z+1}$ is purely imaginary. Let $y = \frac{z-1}{z+1}$. From above we have,

$$y + \bar{y} = \frac{2(|z|^2 - 1)}{(z+1)(\bar{z}+1)} = 2\operatorname{Re}(y)$$

Since y is purely imaginary, $\operatorname{Re}(y) = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \implies \frac{2(|z|^2 - 1)}{(z+1)(\bar{z}+1)} &= 0 \\ \implies |z|^2 - 1 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Since $|\cdot| \geq 0$

$$\implies |z| = 1$$

Therefore $|z| = 1$ if and only if $\frac{z-1}{z+1}$ is purely imaginary

Problem 2. Clearly $z \neq 0$, therefore,

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

Further we have,

$$1 = \cos(n\theta) + i\sin(n\theta) \quad \text{when } n\theta = 0 \pmod{2\pi}$$

Therefore when $k \in \{0, 1, \dots, n-1\}$ we have,

$$\begin{aligned} 1 - \frac{1}{z} &= (\cos(2k\pi) + i\sin(2k\pi))^{1/n} \\ &= \cos\left(\frac{2k\pi}{n}\right) + i\sin\left(\frac{2k\pi}{n}\right) \end{aligned}$$

It follows,

$$\begin{aligned} z &= \frac{1}{1 - \cos\left(\frac{2k\pi}{n}\right) - i\sin\left(\frac{2k\pi}{n}\right)} \\ &= \frac{1}{1 - \cos\left(\frac{2k\pi}{n}\right) - i\sin\left(\frac{2k\pi}{n}\right)} \cdot \frac{1 - \cos\left(\frac{2k\pi}{n}\right) + i\sin\left(\frac{2k\pi}{n}\right)}{1 - \cos\left(\frac{2k\pi}{n}\right) + i\sin\left(\frac{2k\pi}{n}\right)} \\ &= \frac{1 - \cos\left(\frac{2k\pi}{n}\right) + i\sin\left(\frac{2k\pi}{n}\right)}{\left(1 - \cos\left(\frac{2k\pi}{n}\right)\right)^2 + \sin^2\left(\frac{2k\pi}{n}\right)} \\ &= \frac{1 - \cos\left(\frac{2k\pi}{n}\right) + i\sin\left(\frac{2k\pi}{n}\right)}{1 - 2\cos\left(\frac{2k\pi}{n}\right) + \cos^2\left(\frac{2k\pi}{n}\right) + \sin^2\left(\frac{2k\pi}{n}\right)} \\ &= \frac{1 - \cos\left(\frac{2k\pi}{n}\right) + i\sin\left(\frac{2k\pi}{n}\right)}{2(1 - \cos\left(\frac{2k\pi}{n}\right))} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} + i\frac{\sin\left(\frac{2k\pi}{n}\right)}{2(1 - \cos\left(\frac{2k\pi}{n}\right))} \end{aligned}$$

Problem 3.

$$\bar{\phi} = \frac{\overline{w-z}}{1-\bar{w}z} = \frac{\overline{w-z}}{\overline{1-\bar{w}z}} = \frac{\bar{w}-\bar{z}}{1-w\bar{z}}$$

Now consider,

$$\begin{aligned} \phi \cdot \bar{\phi} &= \frac{w-z}{1-\bar{w}z} \cdot \frac{\bar{w}-\bar{z}}{1-w\bar{z}} \\ &= \frac{w\bar{w} - w\bar{z} - \bar{w}z + z\bar{z}}{1 - w\bar{z} - \bar{w}z + w\bar{w}z\bar{z}} \\ &= \frac{|w|^2 + |z|^2 - w\bar{z} - \bar{w}z}{1 + |w|^2|z|^2 - w\bar{z} - \bar{w}z} \end{aligned}$$

if $|z|=1$ we have,

$$\phi \cdot \bar{\phi} = \frac{1 + |w|^2 - w\bar{z} - \bar{w}z}{1 + |w|^2 - w\bar{z} - \bar{w}z} = 1$$

now since $\phi \cdot \bar{\phi} = |\phi|^2$,

$$\implies |\phi|^2 = 1$$

Since $|\cdot| \geq 0$

$$\implies |\phi| = 1$$

Therefore $|\phi| = 1$ whenever $|z| = 1$.

Now if $|z| < 1$

$$\implies |z|^2 < 1$$

We know that $|w| < 1 \implies |w|^2 < 1$ and therefore $|w|^2 - 1 < 0$, it follows

$$|w|^2 - 1 < |z|^2(|w|^2 - 1)$$

$$\implies |w|^2 - 1 < |w|^2|z|^2 - |z|^2$$

$$\implies |w|^2 + |z|^2 < 1 + |w|^2|z|^2$$

$$|w|^2 + |z|^2 - w\bar{z} - \bar{w}z < 1 + |w|^2|z|^2 - w\bar{z} - \bar{w}z$$

$$\implies \phi \cdot \bar{\phi} = \frac{|w|^2 + |z|^2 - w\bar{z} - \bar{w}z}{1 + |w|^2|z|^2 - w\bar{z} - \bar{w}z} < 1$$

now since $\phi \cdot \bar{\phi} = |\phi|^2$,

$$\implies |\phi|^2 < 1$$

Since $|\cdot| \geq 0$

$$\implies |\phi| < 1$$

Therefore $|\phi| < 1$ whenever $|z| < 1$.

Problem 4.

$$\sum_{n \geq 0} \frac{\cos(n\theta)}{2^n} = \operatorname{Re} \left(\sum_{n \geq 0} \frac{e^{ni\theta}}{2^n} \right)$$

Considering the new sequence,

$$\sum_{n \geq 0} \frac{e^{ni\theta}}{2^n} = \sum_{n \geq 0} \left(\frac{e^{i\theta}}{2} \right)^n$$

Assuming $|\frac{e^{i\theta}}{2}| < 1$ (otherwise the series diverges),

$$= \frac{1}{1 - \frac{e^{i\theta}}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{2}{2 - e^{i\theta}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{2}{2 - \cos\theta - i\sin\theta} \\
&= \frac{4 - 2\cos\theta + 2i\sin\theta}{5 - 4\cos\theta}
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned}
\operatorname{Re}\left(\sum_{n \geq 0} \frac{e^{ni\theta}}{2^n}\right) &= \frac{4 - 2\cos\theta}{5 - 4\cos\theta} \\
\implies \sum_{n \geq 0} \frac{\cos(n\theta)}{2^n} &= \frac{4 - 2\cos\theta}{5 - 4\cos\theta}
\end{aligned}$$

Problem 5i. Base case:

$$\begin{aligned}
n = 0 : T_0(x) &= 1, \quad \deg(1) = 0 \\
n = 1 : T_1(x) &= x, \quad \deg(x) = 1
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore $T_0(x)$ has degree 0 and $T_1(x)$ has degree 1

Induction step: Assume $T_{n-1}(x)$ and $T_{n-2}(x)$ have degree $n-1$ and $n-2$ respectively.

$$T_n(x) = 2xT_{n-1}(x) - T_{n-2}(x)$$

Therefore,

$$\deg(T_n(x)) = \deg(2xT_{n-1}(x) - T_{n-2}(x))$$

Since $\deg(2x) = 1$ and $\deg(T_{n-1}(x)) = n-1$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
&\deg(2xT_{n-1}(x)) = n \\
\implies \deg(2xT_{n-1}(x) - T_{n-2}(x)) &= n
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore $T_n(x)$ has degree n .

Problem 5ii. Base case:

$$\begin{aligned}
n = 0 : T_0(\cos\theta) &= 1 = \cos(0) = \cos(0 \cdot \theta) \\
n = 1 : T_1(\cos\theta) &= \cos\theta = \cos(1 \cdot \theta)
\end{aligned}$$

Induction step: Assume $T_{n-1}(\cos\theta) = \cos(n-1)\theta$ and $T_{n-2}(\cos\theta) = \cos(n-2)\theta$.

$$\begin{aligned}
T_n(\cos\theta) &= 2\cos\theta \cdot \cos(n-1)\theta - \cos(n-2)\theta \\
&= 2\left[\frac{1}{2}(e^{i\theta} + e^{-i\theta})\right]\left[\frac{1}{2}(e^{i(n-1)\theta} + e^{-i(n-1)\theta})\right] - \left[\frac{1}{2}(e^{i(n-2)\theta} + e^{-i(n-2)\theta})\right] \\
&\quad \frac{1}{2}\left[e^{in\theta} + e^{i(n-2)\theta} + e^{-i(n-2)\theta} + e^{-in\theta}\right] - \frac{1}{2}\left[e^{i(n-2)\theta} + e^{-i(n-2)\theta}\right] \\
&= \frac{1}{2}\left[e^{in\theta} + e^{-in\theta}\right] \\
&= \cos(n\theta)
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore $T_n(\cos\theta) = \cos(n\theta)$.

Problem 5iii. For $x \in [-1, 1]$ $\exists \theta$ such that $x = \cos \theta$. Therefore let $x = \cos \theta$.

$$\begin{aligned} T_m(T_n(x)) &= T_m(T_n(\cos \theta)) \\ &= T_m(\cos(n\theta)) \\ &= \cos(mn\theta) \\ &= T_{mn}(\cos \theta) \\ &= T_{mn}(x) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore for $x \in [-1, 1]$, $T_m(T_n(x)) = T_{mn}(x)$. Since $[-1, 1]$ is an infinite set, $T_m(T_n(x)) = T_{mn}(x)$ is satisfied everywhere.

Problem 6i.

Let U_1, U_2, \dots be any number of open subsets of \mathbb{C} . Let $z \in \mathbb{C}$ and suppose $z \in \bigcup_{i \geq 1} U_i$. Therefore, $\exists i \in \{1, 2, \dots\}$ such that $z \in U_i$. Since U_i is open $\exists r > 0$ such that $D(z, r) \subseteq U_i$.

$$\implies D(z, r) \subseteq U_i \subseteq \bigcup_{i \geq 1} U_i$$

Since z is an arbitrary point in the union, we conclude that the union of arbitrarily many open subsets is an open subset.

Problem 6ii.

Let U_1, U_2, \dots, U_n be a finite number of open subsets of \mathbb{C} . Let $z \in \mathbb{C}$ and suppose $z \in \bigcap_{i=1}^n U_i$

$$\implies z \in U_i \quad \forall i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$$

Therefore since U_i is open, $\exists r_i > 0$ such that $D(z, r_i) \subseteq U_i$. Let $r_{\min} = \min(r_1, r_2, \dots, r_n)$.

$$\implies D(z, r_{\min}) \subseteq D(z, r_i) \subseteq U_i \quad \forall i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$$

$$\implies D(z, r_{\min}) \subseteq \bigcap_{i=1}^n U_i$$

Since z is an arbitrary point in the intersection, we conclude that the intersection of finitely many open subsets is an open subset.

Problem 6iii.

Let U_1, U_2, \dots, U_n be a finite number of closed subsets of \mathbb{C} . Now consider $\left(\bigcup_{i=1}^n U_i\right)^c$. Using De Morgan's Laws (for sets) we get,

$$\left(\bigcup_{i=1}^n U_i\right)^c = \bigcap_{i=1}^n U_i^c$$

Where U_i^c is the complement of the closed subset U_i and is therefore an open subset of \mathbb{C} . Therefore, using part ii we get that $\bigcap_{i=1}^n U_i^c$ is an open subset and therefore $\left(\bigcup_{i=1}^n U_i\right)^c$ is also an open subset. Finally since $\bigcup_{i=1}^n U_i$ is the complement of the open subset $\left(\bigcup_{i=1}^n U_i\right)^c$ we conclude that $\bigcup_{i=1}^n U_i$ is a closed subset.

Therefore the union of finitely many closed subsets is a closed subset.

Problem 6iv.

Let U_1, U_2, \dots be any number of closed subsets of \mathbb{C} . Now consider $\left(\bigcap_{i \geq 1} U_i\right)^c$. Using De Morgan's Laws (for sets) we get,

$$\left(\bigcap_{i \geq 1} U_i\right)^c = \bigcup_{i \geq 1} U_i^c$$

Where U_i^c is the compliment of the closed subset U_i and is therefore an open subset of \mathbb{C} . Therefore, using part i we get that $\bigcup_{i \geq 1} U_i^c$ is an open subset and therefore $\left(\bigcap_{i \geq 1} U_i\right)^c$ is also an open subset. Finally since $\bigcap_{i \geq 1} U_i$ is the compliment of the open subset $\left(\bigcap_{i \geq 1} U_i\right)^c$ we conclude that $\bigcap_{i \geq 1} U_i$ is a closed subset.

Therefore the intersection of arbitrarily many closed subsets is a closed subset.