

1. Prove that the function $u = 3x^2y + 2x^2 - y^3 - 2y^2$ is harmonic. Find its harmonic conjugate v and express $u + iv$ as an analytic function of z .

Solution: Given that, $u = 3x^2y + 2x^2 - y^3 - 2y^2$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 6xy + 4x \dots\dots (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 3x^2 - 3y^2 - 4y \dots\dots (2)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = 6y + 4 \dots\dots (3)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = -6y - 4 \dots\dots (4)$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 6y + 4 - 6y - 4 = 0$$

$\Rightarrow u$ satisfied Laplace equation. Hence u is harmonic.

By Cauchy-Riemann equations we have,

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -3x^2 + 3y^2 + 4y \quad [\text{by (2)}]$$

By integrating this with respect to x keeping y as constant,

$$v = \int (-3x^2 + 3y^2 + 4y) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow v = -x^3 + 3xy^2 + 4xy + F(y) \dots\dots (5)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = 6xy + 4x + F'(y)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 6xy + 4x + F'(y), \quad \text{by CR equation}$$

$$\Rightarrow 6xy + 4x = 6xy + 4x + F'(y) \quad [\text{by (1)}]$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = F'(y)$$

$$\therefore F(y) = c_1, \quad \text{by integrating}$$

Putting this value in (5) we get

$$v = -x^3 + 3xy^2 + 4xy + c_1$$

Let $f(z) = u + iv$

$$= 3x^2y + 2x^2 - y^3 - 2y^2 + i(-x^3 + 3xy^2 + 4xy + c_1)$$

$$= (-ix^3 + 3ixy^2 + 3x^2y - y^3) + 2(x^2 - y^2 + 2ixy) + ic_1$$

$$= -i(x^3 + 3i^2xy^2 + 3ix^2y + i^3y^3) + 2(x^2 + 2ixy + i^2y^2) + ic_1$$

$$= -i(x + iy)^3 + 2(x + iy)^2 + c, \text{ where } c = ic_1$$

$$\Rightarrow f(z) = u + iv = iz^3 + 2z^2 + c. \text{ (Ans)}$$

2. Prove that the function $u = 2x - x^3 + 3xy^2$ is harmonic. Find its harmonic conjugate v if $f(z) = u + iv$ is analytic.

Solution: Given that, $u = 2x - x^3 + 3xy^2$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 2 - 3x^2 + 3y^2 \dots\dots (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 6xy \dots\dots (2)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = -6x \dots\dots (3)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 6x \dots\dots (4)$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = -6x + 6x = 0$$

$\Rightarrow u$ satisfied Laplace equation. Hence u is harmonic.

By Cauchy-Riemann equations we have,

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -6xy \text{ [by (2)]}$$

By integrating this with respect to x keeping y as constant,

$$v = \int (-6xy) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow v = -3x^2y + F(y) \dots\dots (5)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = -3x^2 + F'(y)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = -3x^2 + F'(y), \text{ by CR equation}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 - 3x^2 + 3y^2 = -3x^2 + F'(y) \text{ [by (1)]}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 + 3y^2 = F'(y)$$

$$\therefore F(y) = y^3 + 2y + c_1, \text{ by integrating}$$

Putting this value in (5) we get

$$v = -3x^2y + y^3 + 2y + c_1$$

3. Prove that the function $u = x^3 - 3xy^2 + 3x^2 - 3y^2 + 1$ is harmonic. Find its harmonic conjugate v if $f(z) = u + iv$ is analytic.

Solution: Given that, $u = x^3 - 3xy^2 + 3x^2 - 3y^2 + 1$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 3x^2 - 3y^2 + 6x \dots\dots (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -6xy - 6y \dots\dots (2)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = 6x + 6 \dots\dots (3)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = -6x - 6 \dots\dots (4)$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 6x + 6 - 6x - 6 = 0$$

$\Rightarrow u$ satisfied Laplace equation. Hence u is harmonic.

By Cauchy-Riemann equations we have,

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 6xy + 6y \quad [\text{by (2)}]$$

By integrating this with respect to x keeping y as constant,

$$v = \int (6xy + 6y) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow v = 3x^2y + 6xy + F(y) \dots\dots (5)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = 3x^2 + 6x + F'(y)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 3x^2 + 6x + F'(y), \quad \text{by CR equation}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x^2 - 3y^2 + 6x = 3x^2 + 6x + F'(y) \quad [\text{by (1)}]$$

$$\Rightarrow -3y^2 = F'(y)$$

$$\therefore F(y) = -y^3 + c_1, \quad \text{by integrating}$$

Putting this value in (5) we get

$$v = 3x^2y + 6xy - y^3 + c_1$$

4. Prove that the function $u = e^{-x}(x \sin y - y \cos y)$ is harmonic. Find its harmonic conjugate v if $f(z) = u + iv$ is analytic.

Solution: Given that, $u = e^{-x}(x \sin y - y \cos y)$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} &= \sin y \frac{\partial}{\partial x} e^{-x} \cdot x - y \cos y \frac{\partial}{\partial x} e^{-x} \\ &= e^{-x} \sin y - x e^{-x} \sin y + y e^{-x} \cos y \dots \dots (1)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} &= x e^{-x} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \sin y - e^{-x} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} y \cdot \cos y \\ &= x e^{-x} \cos y + y e^{-x} \sin y - e^{-x} \cos y \dots \dots (2)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} &= \sin y \frac{\partial}{\partial x} e^{-x} - \sin y \frac{\partial}{\partial x} x \cdot e^{-x} + y \cos y \frac{\partial}{\partial x} e^{-x} \\ &= -2e^{-x} \sin y + x e^{-x} \sin y - y e^{-x} \cos y \dots \dots (3)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} &= x e^{-x} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \cos y + e^{-x} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} y \sin y - e^{-x} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \cos y \\ &= -x e^{-x} \sin y + y e^{-x} \cos y + 2e^{-x} \sin y \dots \dots (4)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} &= -2e^{-x} \sin y + x e^{-x} \sin y - y e^{-x} \cos y - x e^{-x} \sin y + y e^{-x} \cos y \\ &\quad + 2e^{-x} \sin y = 0\end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow u$ satisfied Laplace equation. Hence u is harmonic.

By Cauchy-Riemann equations we have,

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -x e^{-x} \cos y - y e^{-x} \sin y + e^{-x} \cos y \quad [\text{by (2)}]$$

By integrating this with respect to x keeping y as constant,

$$\begin{aligned}v &= \int (-x e^{-x} \cos y - y e^{-x} \sin y + e^{-x} \cos y) dx \\ &= -\cos y \int x \cdot e^{-x} dx - y \sin y \int e^{-x} dx + \cos y \int e^{-x} dx \\ &= -\cos y \left\{ x \int e^{-x} dx - \int \left(\frac{d}{dx} x \int e^{-x} dx \right) dx \right\} - y \sin y \int e^{-x} dx + \cos y \int e^{-x} dx \\ &= -\cos y \left\{ x \frac{e^{-x}}{-1} - \frac{e^{-x}}{(-1)(-1)} \right\} - y \sin y \frac{e^{-x}}{-1} + \cos y \frac{e^{-x}}{-1} + F(y) \\ &= x e^{-x} \cos y + e^{-x} \cos y + y e^{-x} \sin y - e^{-x} \cos y + F(y)\end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow v = x e^{-x} \cos y + y e^{-x} \sin y + F(y) \dots \dots (5)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = xe^{-x} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \cos y + e^{-x} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} y \sin y + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} F(y)$$

$$= -xe^{-x} \sin y + ye^{-x} \cos y + e^{-x} \sin y + F'(y)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = -xe^{-x} \sin y + ye^{-x} \cos y + e^{-x} \sin y + F'(y), \text{ by CR equation}$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{-x} \sin y - xe^{-x} \sin y + ye^{-x} \cos y = -xe^{-x} \sin y + ye^{-x} \cos y + e^{-x} \sin y + F'(y)$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = F'(y)$$

$$\therefore F(y) = c_1, \text{ by integrating}$$

Putting this value in (5) we get

$$v = xe^{-x} \cos y + ye^{-x} \sin y + c_1 = e^{-x}(x \cos y + y \sin y) + c_1$$

5. Prove that the function $u = x^3 + 6x^2y - 3xy^2 - 2y^3$ is harmonic. Find its harmonic conjugate v if $f(z) = u + iv$ is analytic.

Solution: Given that, $u = x^3 + 6x^2y - 3xy^2 - 2y^3$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 3x^2 + 12xy - 3y^2 \dots\dots (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 6x^2 - 6xy - 6y^2 \dots\dots (2)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = 6x + 12y \dots\dots (3)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = -6x - 12y \dots\dots (4)$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 6x + 12y - 6x - 12y = 0$$

$\Rightarrow u$ satisfied Laplace equation. Hence u is harmonic.

By Cauchy-Riemann equations we have,

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -6x^2 + 6xy + 6y^2 \quad [\text{by (2)}]$$

By integrating this with respect to x keeping y as constant,

$$v = \int (-6x^2 + 6xy + 6y^2) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow v = -2x^3 + 3x^2y + 6xy^2 + F(y) \dots\dots (5)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = 3x^2 + 12xy + F'(y)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 3x^2 + 12xy + F'(y), \text{ by CR equation}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x^2 + 12xy - 3y^2 = 3x^2 + 12xy + F'(y) \quad [\text{by (1)}]$$

$$\Rightarrow -3y^2 = F'(y)$$

$$\therefore F(y) = -y^3 + c_1, \text{ by integrating}$$

Putting this value in (5) we get

$$v = -2x^3 + 3x^2y + 6xy^2 - y^3 + c_1$$

6. Prove that the function $u = x^2 - y^2 - 2xy - 2x + 3y$ is harmonic. Find its harmonic conjugate v if $f(z) = u + iv$ is analytic.

Solution: Given that, $u = x^2 - y^2 - 2xy - 2x + 3y$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 2x - 2y - 2 \dots\dots (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -2y - 2x + 3 \dots\dots (2)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = 2 \dots\dots (3)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = -2 \dots\dots (4)$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 2 - 2 = 0$$

$\Rightarrow u$ satisfied Laplace equation. Hence u is harmonic.

By Cauchy-Riemann equations we have,

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 2y + 2x - 3 \quad [\text{by (2)}]$$

By integrating this with respect to x keeping y as constant,

$$v = \int (2y + 2x - 3) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow v = 2xy + x^2 - 3x + F(y) \dots\dots (5)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = 2x + F'(y)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 2x + F'(y), \text{ by CR equation}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x - 2y - 2 = 2x + F'(y) \quad [\text{by (1)}]$$

$$\Rightarrow -2y - 2 = F'(y)$$

$$\therefore F(y) = -y^2 - 2y + c_1, \text{ by integrating}$$

Putting this value in (5) we get

$$v = 2xy + x^2 - 3x - y^2 - 2y + c_1$$

7. Prove that the function $u = 2x(1 - y)$ is harmonic. Find its harmonic conjugate v if $f(z) = u + iv$ is analytic.

Solution: Given that, $u = 2x(1 - y)$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 2 - 2y \dots\dots (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -2x \dots\dots (2)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = 0 \dots\dots (3)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0 \dots\dots (4)$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0 + 0 = 0$$

$\Rightarrow u$ satisfied Laplace equation. Hence u is harmonic.

By Cauchy-Riemann equations we have,

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 2x \text{ [by (2)]}$$

By integrating this with respect to x keeping y as constant,

$$v = \int (2x) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow v = x^2 + F(y) \dots\dots (5)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = F'(y)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = F'(y), \text{ by CR equation}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 - 2y = F'(y) \text{ [by (1)]}$$

$$\therefore F(y) = 2y - y^2 + c_1, \text{ by integrating}$$

Putting this value in (5) we get

$$v = x^2 + 2y - y^2 + c_1$$

8. Prove that the function $u = y^3 - 3x^2y$ is harmonic. Find its harmonic conjugate v if $f(z) = u + iv$ is analytic.

Solution: Given that, $u = y^3 - 3x^2y$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = -6xy \dots\dots (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 3y^2 - 3x^2 \dots\dots (2)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = -6y \dots\dots (3)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 6y \dots\dots (4)$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = -6y + 6y = 0$$

$\Rightarrow u$ satisfied Laplace equation. Hence u is harmonic.

By Cauchy-Riemann equations we have,

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -3y^2 + 3x^2 \quad [\text{by (2)}]$$

By integrating this with respect to x keeping y as constant,

$$v = \int (-3y^2 + 3x^2) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow v = -3xy^2 + x^3 + F(y) \dots\dots (5)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = -6xy + F'(y)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = -6xy + F'(y), \quad \text{by CR equation}$$

$$\Rightarrow -6xy = -6xy + F'(y) \quad [\text{by (1)}]$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = F'(y)$$

$$\therefore F(y) = c_1, \quad \text{by integrating}$$

Putting this value in (5) we get

$$v = -3xy^2 + x^3 + c_1$$

9. Prove that the function $u = x^2 - y^2 + 2y$ is harmonic. Find its harmonic conjugate v if $f(z) = u + iv$ is analytic.

Solution: Given that, $u = x^2 - y^2 + 2y$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 2x \dots\dots (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -2y + 2 \dots\dots (2)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = 2 \dots\dots (3)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = -2 \dots\dots (4)$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 2 - 2 = 0$$

$\Rightarrow u$ satisfied Laplace equation. Hence u is harmonic.

By Cauchy-Riemann equations we have,

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 2y - 2 \quad [\text{by (2)}]$$

By integrating this with respect to x keeping y as constant,

$$v = \int (2y - 2) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow v = 2xy - 2x + F(y) \dots\dots (5)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = 2x + F'(y)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 2x + F'(y), \quad \text{by CR equation}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = 2x + F'(y) \quad [\text{by (1)}]$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = F'(y)$$

$$\therefore F(y) = c_1, \quad \text{by integrating}$$

Putting this value in (5) we get

$$v = 2xy - 2x + c_1$$

10. Prove that the function $u = 2xy + y^3 - 3x^2y$ is harmonic. Find its harmonic conjugate v if $f(z) = u + iv$ is analytic.

Solution: Given that, $u = 2xy + y^3 - 3x^2y$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 2y - 6xy \dots\dots (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 2x + 3y^2 - 3x^2 \dots\dots (2)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = -6y \dots\dots (3)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 6y \dots\dots (4)$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = -6y + 6y = 0$$

$\Rightarrow u$ satisfied Laplace equation. Hence u is harmonic.

By Cauchy-Riemann equations we have,

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -2x - 3y^2 + 3x^2 \quad [\text{by (2)}]$$

By integrating this with respect to x keeping y as constant,

$$v = \int (-2x - 3y^2 + 3x^2) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow v = -x^2 - 3xy^2 + x^3 + F(y) \dots\dots (5)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = -6xy + F'(y)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = -6xy + F'(y), \quad \text{by CR equation}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2y - 6xy = -6xy + F'(y) \quad [\text{by (1)}]$$

$$\Rightarrow 2y = F'(y)$$

$$\therefore F(y) = y^2 + c_1, \quad \text{by integrating}$$

Putting this value in (5) we get

$$v = -x^2 - 3xy^2 + x^3 + y^2 + c_1$$