

**Problem 1:**

Let  $f, g \in \mathcal{O}(D_r(c))$ ,  $g(c) = 0$ , and  $g'(c) \neq 0$ .

Without loss of generality,  $c = 0$ . Now, let  $f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n$  and  $g(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_n z^n$ . Because  $g(0) = 0$ , we have that  $b_0 = 0$ . So,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \operatorname{Res}_0 \frac{f}{g}(c) &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{D_r(0)} \frac{f}{g} dz \\
 &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{D_r(0)} \frac{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n}{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_n z^n} dz \\
 &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{D_r(0)} \frac{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n}{\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n z^n} dz \\
 &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{D_r(0)} \frac{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n}{z \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_{n+1} z^n} dz \\
 &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \int_{D_r(0)} \frac{a_n z^n}{z \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} b_{m+1} z^m} dz
 \end{aligned}$$

All but the first of those terms vanish;  $\frac{z^n a_n}{z b_1 + z^2 b_2 \dots} = \frac{z^n a_n}{z h(z)} = \frac{z^{n-1} a_n}{h(z)}$  is holomorphic on a sufficiently small disk around 0 ( $h(z)$  is nonzero on a small enough disk, else  $g$  is identically zero...and so  $g' = 0$ ).

So,

$$\begin{aligned}
\operatorname{Res}_0 \frac{f}{g}(c) &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \int_{D_r(0)} \frac{a_n z^n}{z \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} b_{m+1} z^m} dz \\
&= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{D_r(0)} \frac{a_1}{\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} b_{m+1} z^m} dz \\
&= a_1/b_0 \\
&= f'(c)/g(c)
\end{aligned}$$

Yielding our result.

**Problem 2:**

Let  $f \in \mathcal{O}(\dot{D}_r(c))$  with  $c$  not an essential singularity. Without loss of generality,  $c = 0$ .

Consider  $\operatorname{Res}_0 \frac{f'}{f}$ . Now, let  $f(z) = \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} a_n z^n$  with  $a_k$  nonzero, so that  $f'(z) = \sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n a_n z^{n-1}$ ;  $k$  will be the order of zero if positive, and the order of pole if negative, and this is clear. So,

$$\begin{aligned}
\operatorname{Res}_0 \frac{f'}{f}(c) &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{D_r(0)} \frac{f'}{f} dz \\
&= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{D_r(0)} \frac{\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} n a_n z^{n-1}}{\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} a_n z^n} dz \\
&= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{D_r(0)} \frac{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n a_n z^{n-1}}{z \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^{n-1}} dz \\
&= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \int_{D_r(0)} \frac{n a_n z^{n-1}}{z \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m z^{m-1}} dz
\end{aligned}$$

All but the first of those terms vanish;  $\frac{nz^n a_n}{zb_1+z^2b_2\ldots} = \frac{z^n a_n}{zh(z)} = \frac{z^{n-1}a_n}{h(z)}$  is holomorphic on a sufficiently small disk around 0 ( $h(z)$  is nonzero on a small enough disk, else  $a_k$  was zero...).

So,

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{Res}_0 \frac{f'}{f}(c) &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \int_{D_r(0)} \frac{na_n z^{n-1}}{z \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m z^{m-1}} dz \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{D_r(0)} \frac{ka_k z^{n-1}}{z \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m z^{m-1}} dz \\ &= k \end{aligned}$$

Yielding our result.

### Problem 3:

A real-variable analogue of Rouché's Theorem would be:

"Let  $I$  be an open interval  $(a, b)$ ,  $f, g$  be differentiable on  $I$ , and let  $J$  be an open interval containing the closure of  $I$ .

If  $|f(a)| < |g(a)|$  and  $|f(b)| < |g(b)|$ , then  $g, g - f$  have the same number of zeroes in  $I$ ."

The obvious counterexample is  $f(x) = 0$  if  $x = 0$ ,  $f(x) = \sin(1/x)$  otherwise, and  $g(x) = 1$  on the interval  $(0, 1/2\pi)$ . Now,  $f(x) = 0$  at  $0, 1/2\pi$ , and  $g(x) = 1$ , so  $|f| < |g|$  on the boundary of the interval. But  $g$  has no zeroes, and  $g - f$  has infinitely many zeroes. So this breaks.

### Problem 4:

Consider  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\cos(x)}{x^2+a^2} dx$ , with  $a \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $a > 0$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\cos(x)}{x^2 + a^2} dx &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^{iz} + e^{-iz}}{z^2 + a^2} dz \\
&= \int_0^{\infty} \frac{e^{iz} + e^{-iz}}{z^2 + a^2} dz \quad (\text{because the function is even...}) \\
&= \int_0^{\infty} \frac{e^{iz}}{z^2 + a^2} dz + \int_0^{\infty} \frac{e^{-iz}}{z^2 + a^2} dz \\
&= \int_0^{\infty} \frac{e^{iz}}{z^2 + a^2} dz - \int_0^{-\infty} \frac{e^{iz}}{z^2 + a^2} dz \quad (\text{u-substitute } -z) \\
&= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^{iz}}{z^2 + a^2} dz \\
&= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(iz)^n}{n!}}{z^2 + a^2} dz \\
&= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\frac{(iz)^n}{n!}}{z^2 + a^2} dz \\
&= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{i^n}{n!} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{z^2 + a^2} dz \\
&= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{i^n}{n!} 2\pi i \sum_{c \in \mathbb{C}} \text{Res}_c \frac{z^n}{z^2 + a^2} \quad (\text{As discussed in class})
\end{aligned}$$

**Problem 5:**

Consider  $\int_{\Gamma_T} z^\alpha R(z) dz$  (with  $R$  a rational function, and  $\Gamma_T$  as pictured below.)

**Problem 6:**

Consider  $e^z = 6z^2 + 1$ . This is equivalent to  $0 = 6z^2 + 1 - e^z$ .

Define  $g(z) = 6z^2 + 1$  and  $f(z) = e^z$ . When  $|z| = 2$ ,  $|g| \geq |6z^2| - 1 = 23$  and  $|f| \leq e^2 \leq 9$ . So  $g > f$  when  $|z| = 2$ .

So Rouché's Theorem applies:  $e^z = 6z^2 + 1$  has the same number of solutions as  $0 = 6z^2 + 1$  on the disk bounded by  $|z| = 2$ .

Now,  $6z^2 + 1$  has two solutions, by the fundamental theorem of algebra. Moreover,  $\frac{i}{\sqrt{6}}$  are solutions, as is readily checked. These solutions are both in that disk. So  $6z^2 - 1$  has two zeroes on the disk bounded by  $|z| = 2$ .

So  $e^z = 6z^2 + 1$  has 2 solutions on the disk bounded by  $|z| = 2$ .

**Problem 7:****Problem 8:**