

Complex Analysis

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Text

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Chapter 1

Complex Numbers and Functions

1.1 Complex Numbers

1.2 Complex Valued Functions

Definition. We define a **complex valued function** to be a function $f : S \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, where $S \subseteq \mathbb{C}$. Writing $f(z) = f(x + iy) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$, where $u : U_1 \times U_1 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $v : V_1 \times V_2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are real valued functions (with U_1, U_2, V_1, V_2 open in \mathbb{R}), we define the **real part** of f to be $\operatorname{Re} f = u(x, y)$, and the **imaginary part** of f to be $\operatorname{Im} f = v(x, y)$.

Remark. It should be noted that the domain of a complex valued function f depends on the domain of its real and imaginary parts, and vice versa.

Example 1. (1) The real and imaginary parts of the complex valued function $f(z) = x^3y + i \sin(x + y)$ to be $u(x, y) = x^3y$ and $v(x, y) = \sin(x + y)$, respectively.

(2) Consider the complex valued function $f(z) = z^n$, for $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$. Writing $z = re^{i\theta}$, we get $f(z) = r^n \cos n\theta + ir^n \sin n\theta$. The real part of f is then $u(x, y) = r^n \cos n\theta$, and the imaginary part of f to be $v(x, y) = r^n \sin n\theta$.

Let $\overline{B^1} = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| \leq 1\}$ the closed unit ball. Notice if $z \in \overline{B^1}$, then $|z^n| = |z|^n \leq 1^n = 1$, so that $z^n \in \overline{B^1}$, and hence $f(\overline{B^1}) = \overline{B^1}$.

Definition. We call the solutions to the polynomial $z^n - 1$ over \mathbb{C} the complex **n -th roots of unity**.

Theorem 1.2.1. Let ξ be a complex n -th root of unity. Then $\xi = e^{\frac{2i\pi}{n}}$.

Corollary. If ξ is an n -th root of unity, then so is ξ^k for all $k \in \mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z}$.

1.3 Complex Differentiation and Holomorphic Functions

Definition. Let U be an open set of \mathbb{C} , and let $w \in U$. We call a complex valued function $f : U \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ **complex differentiable** at w if the limit

$$f'(w) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(w+h) - f(w)}{h} = \lim_{z \rightarrow w} \frac{f(z) - f(w)}{z - w}$$

exists. We call $f'(w)$ the **complex derivative** of f at w .

Theorem 1.3.1. *Let $f : U \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ and $g : U \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ be complex valued functions. If f and g are complex differentiable at a point $z \in U$, then following are true*

(1) $f + g$ is complex differentiable at z , with

$$(f + g)'(z) = f'(z) + g'(z)$$

(2) $(fg)'$ is complex differentiable at z , with

$$(fg)'(z) = f'(z)g(z) + f(z)g'(z)$$

Corollary. *The function $\frac{f}{g}$ is complex differentiable at z , provided $g(z) \neq 0$, with*

$$\left(\frac{f}{g}\right)'(z) = \frac{g(z)f'(z) - f(z)g'(z)}{(g(z))^2}$$

Example 2. For all $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$, the function $f(z) = z^n$ is complex differentiable on all of \mathbb{C} , with $f'(z) = nz^{n-1}$. In fact, z^n is what we call a “holomorphic” function.

Theorem 1.3.2 (The Chain Rule). *Let U and V be open sets of \mathbb{C} , and let $f : U \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, and $g : V \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ be complex valued functions, with $f(U) \subseteq V$. If f is complex differentiable at a point $z \in U$, and g is complex differentiable at the point $f(z) \in f(U)$, then $g \circ f$ is complex differentiable at z with*

$$(g \circ f)'(z) = (g' \circ f)(z)f'(z) = g'(f(z))f'(z)$$

Definition. We call a complex valued function $f : U \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ **holomorphic** on U if it is complex differentiable at every point of U .

Remark. It is convention to simply say that f is “holomorphic” when it is holomorphic on all of \mathbb{C} .

Definition. Let $f : U \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ a complex valued function with $f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$. We define the **vector field** of f to be the map $F : U \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$ defined by

$$F(x, y) = (u(x, y), v(x, y))$$

Where U and V are open in \mathbb{R} .

Theorem 1.3.3. *If f is holomorphic on its domain, then F is real differentiable on its domain (resepctively to the domain of f) and has derivative*

$$\text{Jac } F = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \\ \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \end{pmatrix}$$

Where $\text{Jac } F$ is the Jacobian of F .

Corollory. $f'(z) = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} - i\frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$, and the we have the following of equations

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} &= 0 \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Theorem 1.3.4. *If $u : \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, and $v : \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are continuously real differentiable realvalued functions satisfying the equations*

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} &= 0 \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Then the function $f(z)u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$ is holomorphic on its domain.

Definition. Let $u : U_1 \times U_2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $v : V_1 \times V_2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be continuously real differentiable real valued functions. We define the **Cauchy-Riemann equations** to be the set of equations

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} &= 0 \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Chapter 2

Power Series

2.1 Formal Power Series

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