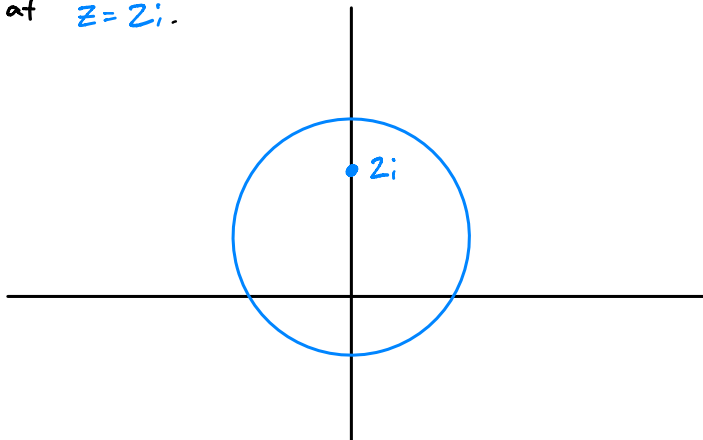


Problem C-4A. In \mathbb{C} , let C be the circle of radius 2 centered at $z = i$. Prove that

$$\int_C \frac{dz}{(z^2 + 4)^2} = \frac{\pi}{16}.$$

The zeros of $(z^2 + 4)^2$ are $\pm 2i$, with multiplicity 2 each.

Thus we are dealing with one pole of order 2 inside our contour, at $z = 2i$.



Let's find the residue. Calling the integrand f now.

$$\text{Res}(f, 2i) = \lim_{z \rightarrow 2i} \left((z - 2i)^2 f(z) \right)'$$

$$= \lim_{z \rightarrow 2i} \left(\frac{(z - 2i)^2}{(z + 2i)^2 (z - 2i)^2} \right)'$$

$$= \lim_{z \rightarrow 2i} \left(\frac{1}{(z + 2i)^2} \right)'$$

$$= - \lim_{z \rightarrow 2i} \frac{2}{(z + 2i)^3}$$

$$= - \frac{2}{(4i)^3} = - \frac{2}{64i^3} = \frac{1}{32i}$$

Thus by the residue theorem,

$$\begin{aligned}\int_C f(z) dz &= 2\pi i \operatorname{Res}(f, 2i) \\ &= 2\pi i \left(\frac{1}{32i} \right)\end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{16}$$

