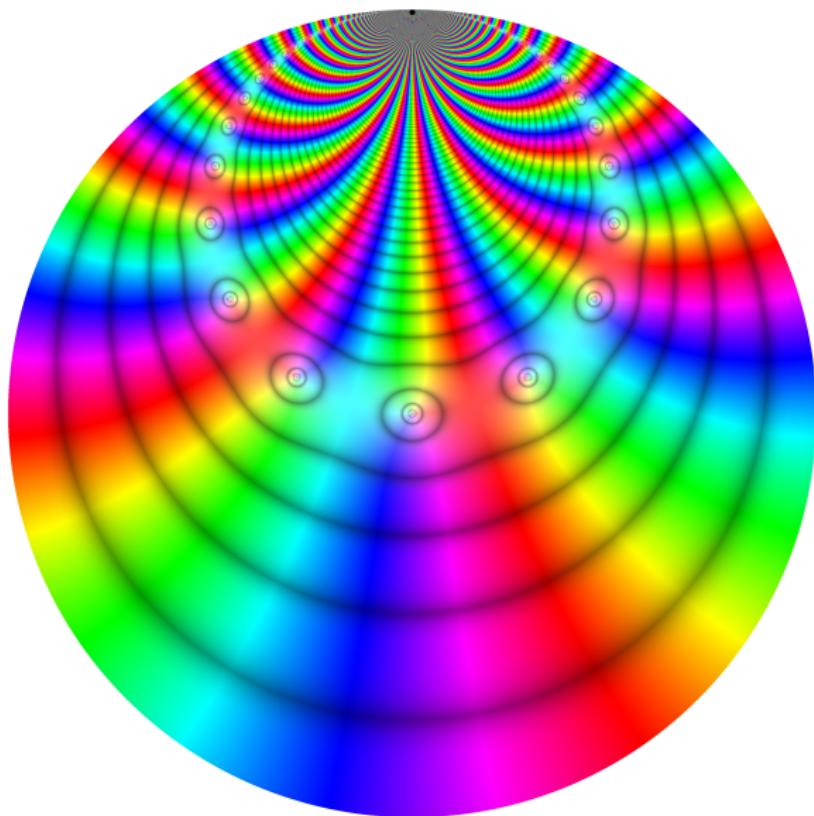


Lecture 28: Local mapping

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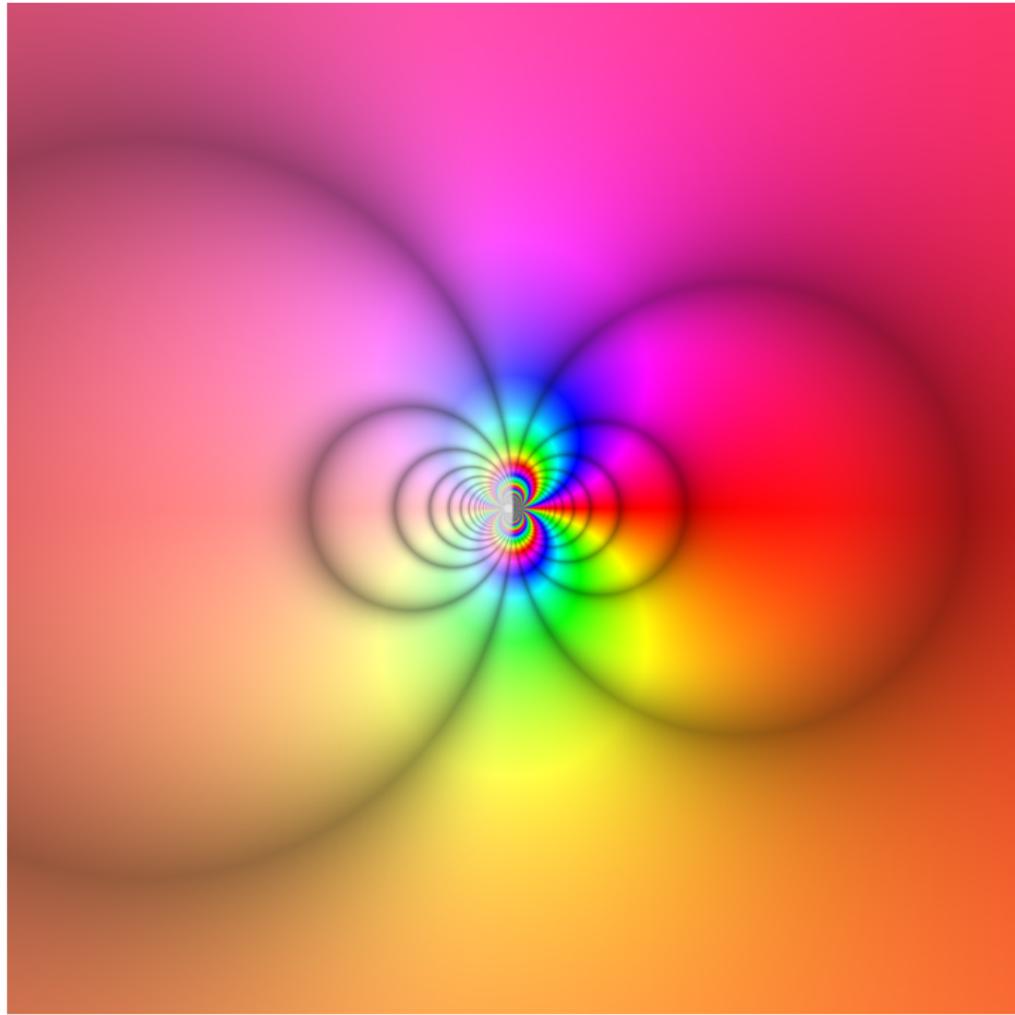
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Theorem

An analytic function comes arbitrarily close to every complex value in a neighborhood of an essential singularity.



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so $n(\Gamma, 0) = \sum_i n(\gamma, z_i)$.

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Theorem

Suppose $f(z)$ is analytic at z_0 , $f(z_0) = w_0$, and $f(z) - w_0$ has a zero of order n at z_0 .

For all sufficiently small $\epsilon > 0$, there exists $\delta > 0$, so that for all a within δ of w_0 , the equation $f(z) = a$ has exactly n roots in the disk $|z - z_0| < \epsilon$.

Corollary

*A nonconstant analytic function is an open map
(meaning it maps open sets to open sets).*