

# Note for Complex Analysis

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**Theorem 1.** (5.10; Liouville's Theorem) *A bounded entire function is constant.*

**Theorem 2.** (5.11; The Extended Liouville's Theorem) *If  $f$  is entire and if, for some integer  $k \geq 0$ , there exist positive constants  $A$  and  $B$  such that*

$$f(z) \leq A + B|z|^k$$

*then  $f$  is a polynomial of degree at most  $k$ .*

**Theorem 3.** (5.12; Fundamental Theorem of Algebra)

$$\mathbb{C} = \overline{\mathbb{C}}$$

## 6 Properties of Analytic Functions

**Property 1.** (6.8) *If  $f$  is analytic at  $\alpha$ , so is*

$$g(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{f(z)-f(\alpha)}{z-\alpha} \\ f'(\alpha) \end{cases}$$

**Property 2.** (6.9; Uniqueness Theorem) *Suppose that  $f$  is analytic in a region  $D$  and that  $f(z_n) = 0$  where  $\{z_n\}$  is a sequence of distinct points and  $z_n \rightarrow z_0 \in D$ . Then  $f \equiv 0$  in  $D$ .*

**Corollary 1.** (6.10) *If two functions  $f$  and  $g$ , analytic in  $D$ , agree at a set of points with an accumulation point in  $D$ , then  $f \equiv g$  in  $D$ .*

**Theorem 4.** (6.11) *If  $f$  is entire and if  $f(z) \rightarrow \infty$  as  $z \rightarrow \infty$ , then  $f$  is a polynomial.*

**Theorem 5.** (6.12; Mean Value Theorem) Let  $f$  be analytic in  $D$  and  $\alpha \in D$ . For  $r > 0$  such that  $D(\alpha; r) \subseteq D$ ,

$$f(\alpha) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} f(\alpha + re^{i\theta}) d\theta$$

**Theorem 6.** (6.13; Maximum-Modulus Theorem) Let  $f$  be a non-constant analytic function in a region  $D$ . For each  $z \in D$  and  $\delta > 0$ , there exists some  $\omega \in D(z; \delta) \cap D$  such that  $|f(\omega)| > |f(z)|$ .

**Corollary 2.** (6.14; Minimum-Modulus Theorem) Let  $f$  be a non-constant analytic function in a region  $D$ .  $z \in D$  is a relative minimum of  $f$  iff  $f(z) = 0$ .

**Theorem 7.** (6.15) Suppose  $f$  is nonconstant and analytic on the closed disc  $D$ . Assume that  $f$ 's maximum modulus at boundary point  $z_0$ . Then,  $f'(z_0) \neq 0$ .

**Definition 1.** (6.16)  $z_0$  is a saddle point of an analytic function  $f$  if it's a saddle point of  $|f|$ . i.e.  $|f|_x(z_0) = |f|_y(z_0) = 0$  but  $z_0$  is neither a local maximum nor a local minimum.

**Theorem 8.** (6.17)  $z_0$  is a saddle point of analytic  $f$  iff  $f'(z_0) = 0$  and  $f(z_0) \neq 0$ .

## 7 Further Properties of Analytic Functions

**Theorem 9.** (7.1; Open Mapping Theorem) A non-constant analytic function is an open function.

**Theorem 10.** (7.2; Schwarz' Lemma) Suppose that  $f$  is analytic in the unit disc, the  $|f| < 1$  there and that  $f(0) = 0$ . Then  $|f(z)| \leq |z|$  and  $|f'(0)| \leq 1$ .

In addition,  $|f(z)| = |z|$ ,  $|f'(0)| = 1$  and  $f(z) = e^{i\theta} z$  are equivalent.

**Proposition 1.** (7.3) If  $f$  is entire and satisfies

$$|f(z)| \leq 1/|\operatorname{Im} z|$$

for all  $z$ , then  $f \equiv 0$ .

**Theorem 11.** (7.4; Morera's Theorem) Let  $f$  be a continuous function on an open set  $D$ . If

$$\int_{\Gamma} f(z) dz = 0$$

whenever  $\Gamma$  is the boundary of a closed rectangle in  $D$ , then  $F$  is analytic on  $D$ .

**Theorem 12.** (7.6) Suppose  $\{f_n\}$  represents a sequence of functions, analytic in an open domain  $D$  and such that  $f_n \rightarrow f$  uniformly on compacta. Then  $f$  is analytic in  $D$ .

**Theorem 13.** (7.7) Suppose  $f$  is continuous in an open set  $D$  and analytic there except possibly at the points of a line segment  $L$ . Then  $f$  is analytic throughout  $D$ .

## 8 Simply Connected Domain

**Definition 2.** (8.1) A region  $D$  is simply connected if its complement is connected within  $\epsilon$  to  $\infty$  (i.e. for any  $z_0 \in \mathbb{C} \setminus D$ , there is a curve  $\gamma$  such that  $d(\gamma(t), \mathbb{C} \setminus D) < \epsilon$  for all  $t \geq 0$ ,  $\gamma(0) = z_0$ ,  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \gamma(t) = \infty$ )).

**Definition 3.** (8.2) The number of levels of  $\Gamma$  is the number of different imaginary part of points in horizontal lines in the polygonal path  $\Gamma$ .

**Theorem 14.** (8.4) For every function which is analytic in a simply connected domain, there is a primitive function.

**Theorem 15.** (8.5; General Closed Curve Theorem) Suppose that  $f$  is analytic in a simply connected region  $D$  and that  $C$  is a smooth closed curve contained in  $D$ . Then,

$$\int_C f = 0$$

**Theorem 16.** (8.8) Suppose that  $D$  is simply connected and that  $0 \notin D$ . Choose  $z_0 \in D$ , fix a value of  $\log z_0$  and set

$$f(z) = \int_{z_0}^z \frac{d\zeta}{\zeta} + \log z_0$$

Then  $f$  is an analytic branch of  $\log z$  in  $D$ .

## 9 Isolated Singularities of an Analytic Function

**Theorem 17.** (9.3-9.5) Suppose  $f$  is analytic in a deleted neighborhood of  $z_0$  and  $z_0$  is a singularity of  $f$ . Then,

1. If  $\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} (z - z_0)f(z) = 0$ ,  $z_0$  is a removable singularity.
2. If  $f$  is bounded in a deleted neighborhood,  $z_0$  is a removable singularity.
3. If there is a positive integer  $k$  such that

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} (z - z_0)^k f(z) \neq 0, \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} (z - z_0)^{k+1} f(z) = 0$$

then,  $z_0$  is a pole of order  $k$ .

**Theorem 18.** (9.6; Casorati-Weierstrass Theorem) If  $f$  has an essential singularity at  $z_0$  and if  $D$  is a deleted neighborhood of  $z_0$ , then the range  $R = \{f(z) \mid z \in D\}$  is dense in the complex plane.

**Theorem 19.** (9.10) Every function which is analytic in some annulus has a unique representation as a Laurent Series, where the coefficient of  $z^k$  is

$$a_k = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{f(z)}{(z - z_0)^{k+1}}$$

**Definition 4.** (9.12) Every terms of Laurent series with degree lower than 0 is a *principal part*, and other terms is an *analytic part*.

## 10 The Residue Theorem

**Theorem 20.** Let  $z_0$  be a simple pole of  $f$ .

$$\text{Res}(f; z_0) = \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} f(z)$$

Let  $z_0$  be an order  $k \geq 1$  pole of  $f$ .

$$\text{Res}(f; z_0) = \frac{1}{(k-1)!} \frac{d^{k-1}}{dz^{k-1}} (z - z_0)^k f(z)$$

**Definition 5.** The winding number of  $\gamma$  around  $a$  is

$$n(\gamma, a) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{dz}{z - a}$$

This is an integer.

**Theorem 21.** (10.5; Cauchy's Residue Theorem) Suppose  $f$  is analytic in a simply connected domain  $D$  except for isolated singularities at  $z_1, \dots, z_m$ . Let  $\gamma$  be a closed curve not intersecting any of the singularities. Then,

$$\int_{\gamma} f = 2\pi i \sum_{k=1}^m n(\gamma, z_k) \text{Res}(f; z_k)$$

**Definition 6.** (10.7)  $f$  is meromorphic if  $f$  is analytic there except at isolated poles.

**Theorem 22.** (10.8) For regular curve  $\gamma$  and  $f$  which is analytic in and on  $\gamma$ , where every zero and pole of  $f$  is not on  $\gamma$ ,

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{f'}{f} = \mathbb{Z} - \mathbb{P}$$

where  $\mathbb{Z}/\mathbb{P}$  is the number of zeros/poles of  $f$  inside  $\gamma$ .

**Corollary 3.** (10.9; Argument Principle) If  $f$  analytic inside and on a regular closed curve  $\gamma$  where zeros of  $f$  are not on  $\gamma$ , then  $\mathbb{Z} = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{f'}{f}$ .

If  $\gamma : z(t)$  where  $t \in [0, 1]$ ,

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{f'}{f} = \frac{\log f(z(1)) - \log f(z(0))}{2\pi i} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \Delta \text{Arg } f(z)$$

**Theorem 23.** (10.10; Rouché's Theorem) Suppose that  $f$  and  $g$  are analytic inside and on a regular closed curve  $\gamma$  and that  $|f(z)| > |g(z)|$  for all  $z \in \gamma$ . Then

$$\mathbb{Z}(f + g) = \mathbb{Z}(f)$$

inside  $\gamma$ .

**Theorem 24.** (10.11; Generalized Cauchy Integral Formula) For a function  $f$  analytic in a simply connected domain  $D$ ,

$$f^{(k)}(z) = \frac{k!}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{f(\omega)}{(\omega - z)^{k+1}} d\omega$$

**Theorem 25.** (10.12) Suppose  $\{f_n\}$  represents a sequence of functions, analytic in an open domain  $D$  and such that  $f_n \rightarrow f$  uniformly on compacta. Then  $f$  is analytic in  $D$ ,  $f'_n \rightarrow f'$  uniformly on compacta.

**Theorem 26.** (10.13; Hurwitz's Theorem) Let  $\{f_n\}$  be a sequence of non-vanishing analytic functions in a region  $D$  and suppose  $f_n \rightarrow f$  uniformly on compacta of  $D$ . Then either  $f \equiv 0$  in  $D$  or  $f(z) \neq 0$  for all  $z \in D$ .

**Corollary 4.** (10.14) Suppose that  $f_n$  is a sequence of analytic function in a region  $D$ , that  $f_n \rightarrow f$  uniformly on compact in  $D$ , and that  $f_n \neq a$ . Then either  $f \equiv a$  or  $f \neq a$  in  $D$ .

**Theorem 27.** (10.15) Suppose that  $f_n$  is a sequence of analytic function in a region  $D$ , that  $f_n \rightarrow f$  uniformly on compact in  $D$ . If  $f_n$  is 1-1 in  $D$  for all  $n$ , then either  $f$  is constant or  $f$  is 1-1 in  $D$ .

## 11 Applications of the Residue Theorem to the Evaluation of Integral of Sums

**Proposition 2.** If  $P, Q$  are polynomials and  $\deg Q - \deg P > 1$ ,

$$\lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_{\Gamma_R} \frac{P(z)}{Q(z)} dz = 0$$

where  $\Gamma_R$  is an arc of radius  $R$ .

**Proposition 3.** If  $P, Q$  are polynomials and  $\deg Q > \deg P$ ,

$$\lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_{\Gamma_R} e^{iz} \frac{P(z)}{Q(z)} dz = 0$$

where  $\Gamma_R$  is an arc of radius  $R$ .

**Proposition 4.** Let  $P, Q$  be polynomials and  $\deg Q - \deg P \geq 2$ .

$$\lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_{\Gamma_R} \frac{P(z)}{Q(z)} \log z dz = 0$$

where  $\Gamma_R$  is an arc of radius  $R$ .

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \int_{\Gamma_r} \frac{P(z)}{Q(z)} \log z dz = 0$$

where  $\Gamma_r$  is an arc of radius  $R$  in  $x \leq 0$  half-plane.

$$\int_0^\infty \frac{P(x)}{Q(x)} dx = - \sum_k \operatorname{Res} \left( \frac{P(z)}{Q(z)} \log z; z_k \right)$$

**Proposition 5.**

$$\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} f(n) = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \int_{C_N} f(z) \pi \cot \pi z dz = - \sum_k \operatorname{Res}(f(z) \pi \cot \pi z; z_k)$$

**Proposition 6.**

$$\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} (-1)^n f(n) = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \int_{C_N} f(z) \pi \csc \pi z dz = - \sum_k \operatorname{Res}(f(z) \pi \csc \pi z; z_k)$$

**Proposition 7.**

$$\binom{n}{k} = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{(1+z)^n}{z^{k+1}} dz$$

**Proposition 8.**

$$\sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k}^2 = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C (1+z)^n \left(1 + \frac{1}{z}\right)^n \frac{dz}{z}$$

## 12 Further Contour Integral Techniques

**Proposition 9.**

$$\lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_{C_R} e^z f(z) dz = 0$$

where the real part of  $C_R$  is bounded above and  $|f|$  is bounded.

**Proposition 10.**

$$\int_{C_R} \frac{1}{az + \varepsilon(z)} \simeq \int_{C_R} \frac{1}{az}$$

for sufficient large  $R$  where the integral are equal for all sufficient large  $R$ .

## 13 Introduction to Conformal Mapping

**Theorem 28.** (13.4) If  $f$  is analytic at  $z_0$  and has non-zero derivative  $f'$  at  $z_0$ , then  $f$  is conformal and locally 1-1 at  $z_0$ .

**Theorem 29.** (13.6) For integer  $k$ ,  $z^k$  magnifies angles at 0 by a factor of  $k$ , and maps  $D(0; r)$  onto  $D(0; r^k)$ .

**Theorem 30.** (13.7) Suppose  $f$  is analytic at  $z_0$  with  $f'(z_0) = 0$ . If  $f$  is non-constant, there is some small open neighborhood of  $z_0$  where  $f$  is a  $k$ -to-1 mapping and  $f$  magnifies angles at  $z_0$  by a factor of  $k$ , where  $k$  is the least positive integer of which  $f^{(k)}(z_0) \neq 0$ .

**Theorem 31.** (13.8) Suppose  $f$  is a 1-1 analytic function in a region  $D$ . Then  $f^{-1}$  exists an analytic in  $f(D)$ , and  $f$  and  $f^{-1}$  are conformal in  $D$  and  $f(D)$  respectively.

**Theorem 32.** (13.9) Conformal equivalence (existency of conformal mapping between two region) is an equivalence relation.

**Definition 7.** Bilinear transformation

$$\omega = \frac{az + b}{cz + d}$$

where  $ad - bc \neq 0$ . ( $\because \omega' = \frac{ad-bc}{(cz+d)^2}$ , which must be non-zero for conformal mapping)

**Lemma 1.** (13.10)  $1/z$  maps circle/line to circle/line.

**Theorem 33.** (13.11) The image of circle/line by a bilinear transformation is a circle/line.

**Theorem 34.** (13.13) For a given conformal mapping  $f : D_1 \rightarrow D_2$ ,

If there is a conformal mapping  $h : D_1 \rightarrow D_2$ , there is a conformal automorphism  $g : D_1 \rightarrow D_1$  such that  $h = g \circ f$ . (which is  $g = h \circ f^{-1}$ ).

If  $h$  is a conformal automorphism of  $D$ ,  $h = f^{-1} \circ g \circ f$  for some conformal automorphism  $g$  of  $D_2$ .

**Lemma 2.** (13.14) The only automorphisms of the unit disc with  $f(0) = 0$  are given by  $f(z) = e^{i\theta}z$ .

**Theorem 35.** (13.15) The automorphisms of the unit disc are of the form  $f(z) = e^{i\theta}z \left( \frac{z-\alpha}{1-\bar{\alpha}z} \right)$ .

**Theorem 36.** (13.16) The conformal mappings  $h$  of the upper half plane onto the unit disc are of the form

$$h(z) = e^{i\theta} \left( \frac{z - \alpha}{z - \bar{\alpha}} \right)$$

where  $\text{Im } \alpha > 0$ .

**Theorem 37.** (13.17) The automorphisms of the upper half-plane of the form

$$h(z) = \frac{az + b}{cz + d}$$

with  $a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $ad - bc > 0$ .

**Theorem 38.** (13.19) A non-identity bilinear transformation has at most two fixed points.

**Lemma 3.** (13.20) The unique bilinear mapping sending  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  into  $\infty, 0, 1$  respectively, is given by

$$T(z) = \frac{(z - z_2)(z_3 - z_1)}{(z - z_1)(z_3 - z_2)}$$

**Definition 8.** (13.21) The *cross-ratio* of four complex  $z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4$  is

$$(z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4) = \frac{(z_4 - z_2)(z_3 - z_1)}{(z_4 - z_1)(z_3 - z_2)}$$

**Theorem 39.** (13.22) Bilinear transformation preserves cross-ratio

**Theorem 40.** (13.23) The unique bilinear transformation  $\omega = f(z)$  mapping  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  into  $\omega_1, \omega_2, \omega_3$  respectively, is given by

$$\frac{(\omega - \omega_2)(\omega_3 - \omega_1)}{(\omega - \omega_1)(\omega_3 - \omega_2)} = \frac{(z - z_2)(z_3 - z_1)}{(z - z_1)(z_3 - z_2)}$$

**Proposition 11.**  $f(z) = \sin z$  maps semi-infinite strip

$$\frac{-\pi}{2} < \operatorname{Re} z < \frac{\pi}{2}; \operatorname{Im} z > 0$$

conformally onto the upper half-plane by considering its behavior on the rectangle  $R$ :

$$\frac{-\pi}{2} < \operatorname{Re} z < \frac{\pi}{2}; 0 \leq \operatorname{Im} z \leq N$$

Note

$$\sin z = \sin x \cosh N + i \cos x \sinh N$$

## 14 The Riemann Mapping Theorem

**Theorem 41.** (Riemann Mapping Theorem) For any simply connected domain  $R (\neq \mathbb{C})$  and  $z_0 \in R$ , there exists a unique conformal mapping  $\varphi$  of  $R$  onto  $U$  (unit disk) such that  $\varphi(z_0) = 0$  and  $\varphi'(z_0) > 0$ .

Note,

$$\varphi(z) = c \frac{z - z_0}{1 - \bar{z}_0 z}$$