

# Complex Analysis

$$S_y = 0, S_x \neq 0$$

$$\frac{df}{dz} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \quad (1)$$

For  $S_x \neq S_y \neq 0$ , we have

$$\frac{df}{dz} = \lim_{S_z \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(S_z) - f(0)}{S_z}$$

$$= \lim_{S_y \rightarrow 0} \frac{S_u + iSv}{iS_y}$$

$$= \lim_{S_y \rightarrow 0} -i \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$$

$$\frac{df}{dz} = -i \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \quad (2)$$

Equating real and imaginary parts of (1) & (2),

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}, \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$$

These are Cauchy-Riemann conditions. These are necessary if derivative  $\frac{df}{dz}$  exists.

Conversely, assume that Cauchy-Riemann Conditions are satisfied and that the partial derivatives of  $u(x,y)$  &  $v(x,y)$  are continuous. Then, we can prove that

~~Note~~  $\frac{df}{dz}$  exists,

We have

$$\begin{aligned} Sf &= S_u + iSv \\ &= \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} S_x + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} S_y + i \left( \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} S_x + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} S_y \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Then, } \frac{\delta f}{\delta z} = \frac{\left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \right) \delta x + \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \right) \delta y}{\delta x + i \delta y}$$

$$\delta z \rightarrow 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} + \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \right) \frac{\delta y}{\delta x}}{1 + \frac{\delta y}{\delta x}} \rightarrow ①$$

Using Cauchy Riemann conditions,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} &= - \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \\ &= i \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \right) \end{aligned}$$

Then,

$$\frac{\delta f}{\delta z} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$$

Since the above relation doesn't depend on the direction of approach, derivative  $\frac{df}{dz}$  exists.

A function  $f(z)$  is analytic at  $z=z_0$  if  $f(z)$  is differentiable at  $z=z_0$ , otherwise,  $z_0$  is a singular point.

$$\underline{\text{Ex 1: }} f(z) = z^2 = u(x, y) + i v(x, y)$$

$$u(x, y) = x^2 - y^2, v(x, y) = 2xy$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 2x = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}, \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -2y = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$$

$f(z) = z^2$  is analytic in the entire complex plane.

$$\text{Ex 2: } f(z) = z^2$$

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

Now,

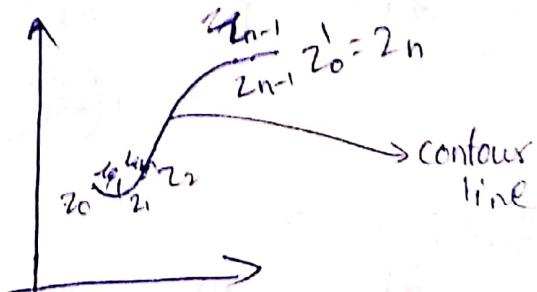
$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 1 \neq \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = -1$$

$f(z) = z^2$  is not an analytic function.

### Contour Integrals:-

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx$$

$$\int_{z_0}^{z_1} f(z) dz$$



$$\sum_i f(x_i) \Delta x_i \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} n \rightarrow \infty \\ x_i \rightarrow 0 \end{array} \right. \quad \text{Let the points } z_0, z_1 \text{ are}$$

joined by a line which is called contour line.

We divide the contour line into  $n$  segments by picking  $n-1$  intermediate points  $z_1, z_2, z_3, \dots, z_{n-1}$ .

$z_j$  is a point on the contour line which lies between  $z_{j-1}$  &  $z_j$ . Now, consider the sum

$$S_n = \sum_{j=1}^n f(z_j)(z_j - z_{j-1})$$

In the limit  $n \rightarrow \infty$  and  $|z_j - z_{j-1}| \rightarrow 0$  if  $\lim_n S_n$  exists and is independent of the details.

of choosing  $z_j$  and  $\epsilon_j$  then we write

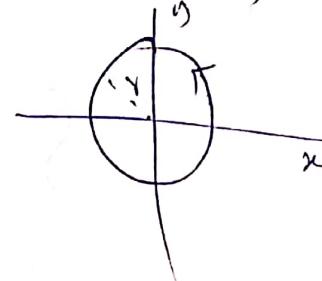
The integral as

$$\int_{z_0}^{z_0'} f(z) dz = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{j=1}^n f(z_j) (z_j - z_{j-1})$$

Consider the contour integral  $\int_C z^n dz$ , where  $C$  is a circle of radius  $r > 0$  around the origin  $z=0$ . The contour is in counter-clockwise direction.

Any point on the contour can be written as,

$$z = re^{i\theta}$$
$$dz = ire^{i\theta} d\theta$$



$$\int_C z^n dz = \int_0^{2\pi} r^n e^{in\theta} \cdot ire^{i\theta} d\theta$$
$$= ir^{n+1} \int_0^{2\pi} e^{i(n+1)\theta} d\theta$$

If  $n \neq -1$ ,

$$\int_C z^n dz = ir^{n+1} \left[ \frac{e^{i(n+1)\theta}}{i(n+1)} \right]_0^{2\pi} = \frac{r^{n+1}}{n+1} [e^{i(n+1)2\pi} - 1] = 0$$

If  $n = -1$ ,

$$\int_C z^{-1} dz = i \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta = 2\pi i$$

We have

$$\int_C \frac{dz}{z} = 2\pi i = \int_C \frac{dz}{z}$$

## Cauchy's Integral Theorem:

If  $f(z)$  is analytic and its partial derivatives are continuous throughout the same simply connected region  $R$ , then for every closed path 'C' in  $R$  its integral is

$$\oint_C f(z) dz = 0$$



This integral theorem can be proved with Stokes theorem.

$$\oint_C \vec{A} d\vec{s} = \int_S (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{A}) d\vec{S}$$

$$\text{For } \vec{A} = A_x \hat{i} + A_y \hat{j}, \vec{d}s = dx \hat{i} + dy \hat{j}$$

we get

$$ds = dx dy \hat{k}$$

$$(\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{A})_z = \frac{\partial A_y}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial A_x}{\partial y}$$

Stokes theorem becomes

$$\oint_A x dx + y dy = \int_S \left( \frac{\partial A_y}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial A_x}{\partial y} \right) dx dy$$

For complex function  $f(z)$ , we have (take),

$$f(z) = u(x, y) + i v(x, y) \quad dz = dx + i dy$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \oint_C f(z) dz &= \oint (u+iv)(dx+idy) \\
 &= \oint u dx + v dy + i \oint (v dx - u dy) \\
 &= \int \left( \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \right) dx dy \\
 &\quad + i \int \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \right) dx dy
 \end{aligned}$$

since  $f(z)$  is analytic, we have,

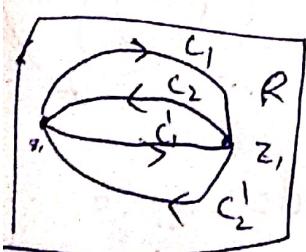
$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}, \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$$

We get,

$$\oint f(z) dz = 0$$

Cauchy's integral theorem is generalised by Goursat, where existence of partial derivatives of  $u$  &  $v$  are relaxed.

According to Cauchy-Goursat theorem if  $f(z)$  is analytic in a region  $R$ , then for any closed path  $C$  in it, the integral is  $\oint f(z) dz = 0$



$$\Rightarrow \oint_C f(z) dz = 0 \Rightarrow \int_{C_1} f(z) dz + \int_{C_2} f(z) dz = 0$$

or, also,

$$\int_{C_1} f(z) dz + \int_{C_2'} f(z) dz = 0$$

Since the relation is satisfied for any closed contour, joining  $z_1$  &  $z_2$ , we can write

$$\oint_{C_1} f(z) dz = \int_{z_1}^{z_2} f(z) dz = g(z_2) - g(z_1)$$

$$\oint_{C_2} f(z) dz = \int_{z_2}^{z_1} f(z) dz = g(z_1) - g(z_2)$$

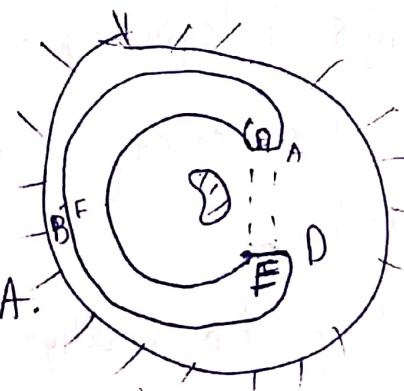
$g(z)$  is some function

### Multiply Connected Regions

Consider the following region in the complex

Plane, where  $f(z)$  is analytic in the unshaded region.

In the unshaded region, let us consider a closed contour  $C'$  which is ABDEFGA.



Since  $f(z)$  is analytic within and on  $C'$ ,

by Cauchy's integral theorem,

$$\oint_{C'} f(z) dz = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{ABD} f(z) dz + \int_{DE} f(z) dz + \int_{EFG} f(z) dz + \int_{GA} f(z) dz = 0$$



The limit that the lines DE and GA are coinciding each other, we have,

$$\oint_{\partial D} f(z) dz = \int_D f(z) dz + \int_{C_1}^{\wedge} f(z) dz + \int_{C_2}^{\wedge} f(z) dz$$

In the limit that  $A \rightarrow D$  &  $C_1 \rightarrow E$ , we can represent ABD with contour  $C_1$  & EFG with  $-C_2$

$$\oint_{C_1} f(z) dz + \oint_{-C_2} f(z) dz = 0$$

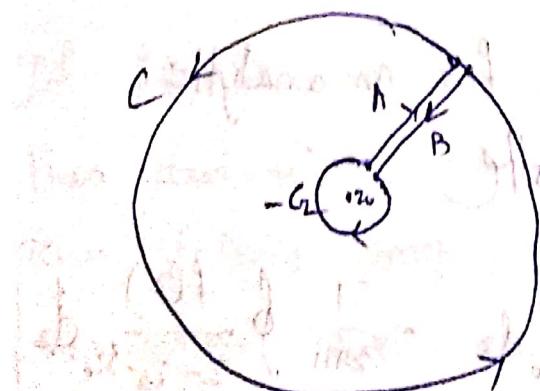
$$\Rightarrow \oint_{C_1} f(z) dz = -\oint_{C_2} f(z) dz$$

### Cauchy's Integral Formula

If  $f(z)$  is analytic on a closed contour  $C$  and within the interior region bounded by  $C$  then

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(z)}{z-z_0} dz = f(z_0)$$

where  $z_0$  is some interior point bounded by



$$C' = C + (-C_2) + A + B$$

(deformed)

We can deform the contour  $C$  as above.  $C_2$  is a circular contour of radius  $r$ . In the limit that line A approaching line B, we can write

$$\oint_C \frac{f(z)}{z-z_0} dz = \oint_{C_2} \frac{f(z)}{z-z_0} dz$$

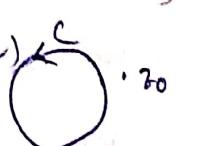
For points on contour  $C_2$ , we can write  
 $z = z_0 + r e^{i\theta}$

$$\oint_C \frac{f(z)}{z-z_0} dz = \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{f(z_0 + r e^{i\theta})}{r e^{i\theta}} i r e^{i\theta} d\theta$$

In the limit  $r \rightarrow 0$ , we get

$$\oint_C \frac{f(z)}{z-z_0} dz = \int_0^{2\pi} f(z_0) i d\theta = 2\pi i f(z_0)$$

For any point  $z_0$ , we can write



$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(z)}{z-z_0} dz = \begin{cases} f(z_0), & \text{if } z_0 \text{ is interior of } C \\ 0, & \text{if } z_0 \text{ is exterior of } C. \end{cases}$$

### Derivatives

Using Cauchy's Integral formula, for an analytic function  $f(z)$ , we can write

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{f(z_0 + \delta z_0) - f(z_0)}{\delta z_0} &= \frac{-1}{\delta z_0} \left[ \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(z)}{z-z_0} dz - \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(z)}{z-z_0-\delta z_0} dz \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi i \delta z_0} \oint_C \left( \frac{f(z)}{z-z_0} - \frac{f(z)}{z-z_0-\delta z_0} \right) dz \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi i s_{20}} \oint \frac{\frac{s_{20} f(z)}{(z-z_0-s_{20})(z-z_0)}}{s_{20}} dz$$

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$$\frac{f(z_0+s_{20}) - f(z_0)}{s_{20}} = \frac{1}{2\pi i s_{20}} \oint \frac{s_{20} f(z)}{(z-z_0-s_{20})(z-z_0)} dz$$

The derivative of  $f(z)$  at  $z_0$  is

$$f'(z_0) = \lim_{s_{20} \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(z_0+s_{20}) - f(z_0)}{s_{20}}$$

Comparing with the definition of derivative

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint \frac{f(z)}{(z-z_0)^2} dz$$

Taking limit as  $s_{20} \rightarrow 0$  shows  $f'(z_0)$

second derivative of  $f(z)$  at  $z_0$  is

$$f''(z_0) = \lim_{s_{20} \rightarrow 0} \frac{f'(z_0+s_{20}) - f'(z_0)}{s_{20}}$$

different conditions since  $(z_0)$  is greater

$$= \frac{2}{2\pi i} \oint \frac{f(z)}{(z-z_0)^3} dz$$

which is zero

By method of induction, for any positive integer  $n$ , we can show that

$$f^{(n)}(z_0) = \frac{n!}{2\pi i} \oint \frac{f(z)}{(z-z_0)^{n+1}} dz$$

If  $f(z)$  is analytic on and within a closed contour  $C$  then derivatives of all orders of  $f(z)$  can exist at any interior point  $z_0$ . Moreover all these derivatives are analytic.

### Morera's Theorem:-

If a function  $f(z)$  is continuous in a simply connected region  $R$  and  $\oint_C f(z) dz = 0$  for every closed contour  $C$  within  $R$ , then  $f(z)$  is analytic throughout  $R$ .

since,  $\oint_C f(z) dz = 0$  for every closed contour within  $R$ , we can state that the integral

$\int_{z_1}^{z_2} f(z) dz$  depends only on the end points

$$\int_{z_1}^{z_2} f(z) dz = g(z_2) - g(z_1)$$

where  $g(z)$  is some continuous function.

Now consider

$$\frac{g(z_2) - g(z_1)}{z_2 - z_1} - f(z_1) = \frac{1}{z_2 - z_1} \int_{z_1}^{z_2} f(z') dz'$$

$$= \frac{1}{z_2 - z_1} \int_{z_1}^{z_2} f(z') dz'$$

$$\frac{g(z_2) - g(z_1)}{z_2 - z_1} - f(z_1) = \frac{1}{z_2 - z_1} \int_{z_1}^{z_2} (f(z') - f(z_1)) dz'$$

to take  $z_2 \rightarrow z_1$  we can show

$$\left| \int_C f(z) dz \right| \leq \|f\|_{\max} L$$

where  $|f|_{\max}$  is the max value of  $|f(z)|$  on the contour  $C$  and  $L$  is the length of the contour (if  $f(z)$  is bounded in  $R$ )

$$\left| \int_{z_1}^{z_2} (f(z') - f(z_1)) dz' \right| \leq |f(z') - f(z_1)|_{\max} L(z) \\ \text{where } L(z) = \frac{1}{z_2 - z_1} \int_{z_1}^{z_2} dz = z_2 - z_1$$

In the limit  $z_2 \rightarrow z_1$ ,  $|f(z') - f(z_1)|_{\max} \rightarrow |f(z_1) - f(z_1)| = 0$   
and  $\frac{L(z_2)}{|z_2 - z_1|} \geq \frac{1}{z_2 - z_1} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} = (\infty)$

$\therefore$  We get  $\int_{z_1}^{z_2} (f(z') - f(z_1)) dz' \neq 0$  (not bounded function)

$$\lim_{z_2 \rightarrow z_1} \frac{\int_{z_1}^{z_2} (f(z') - f(z_1)) dz'}{z_2 - z_1} \neq 0$$

from eq(1),

$$\lim_{z_2 \rightarrow z_1} \frac{g(z_2) - g(z_1)}{z_2 - z_1} = f(z_1)$$

$$g'(z) \Big|_{z=z_1} = f(z_1)$$

$g(z)$  is analytic at  $z=z_1$

Since  $z_1$  is any point in the region  $R$ ,  $g(z)$

is analytic in  $R$ .

Using Cauchy's integral formula, we can state that its first derivative  $g'(z)$  is also analytic in  $R$ .

$\therefore f(z)$  is analytic in  $R$ .

Taylor expansion:-

Consider a function  $f(z)$  which is analytic at  $z=z_0$ . Suppose we know that  $z_1$  is a nearest point to  $z_0$  at which  $f(z)$  is not analytic. Then for any point in the region  $|z-z_0| < |z_1-z_0|$ , we can expand  $f(z)$  as

$$f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (z-z_0)^n \frac{f^{(n)}(z_0)}{n!}$$

Using Cauchy's Integral formula, for any point  $z$  within  $C$ , we can write

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(z')}{z'-z} dz' \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(z')}{z-z_0-(z-z_0)} dz' \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(z') dz'}{(z'-z_0) \left[ 1 - \frac{z-z_0}{z'-z_0} \right]} \quad (1) \end{aligned}$$

We can prove that

$$\frac{1}{1-t} = 1+t+t^2+\dots = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} t^n$$

The above series converges for  $|t| < 1$ .

Now, we have

$$\left| \frac{z-z_0}{z'-z_0} \right| < 1$$

$$1 - \frac{z-z_0}{z-z_0} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left( \frac{z-z_0}{z-z_0} \right)^n$$

substituting this in eq(1),

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(z-z_0)^n f(z') dz'}{(z'-z_0)^{n+1}} \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (z-z_0)^n \left\{ \frac{f(z')}{(z'-z_0)^{n+1}} \right\} dz' \end{aligned}$$

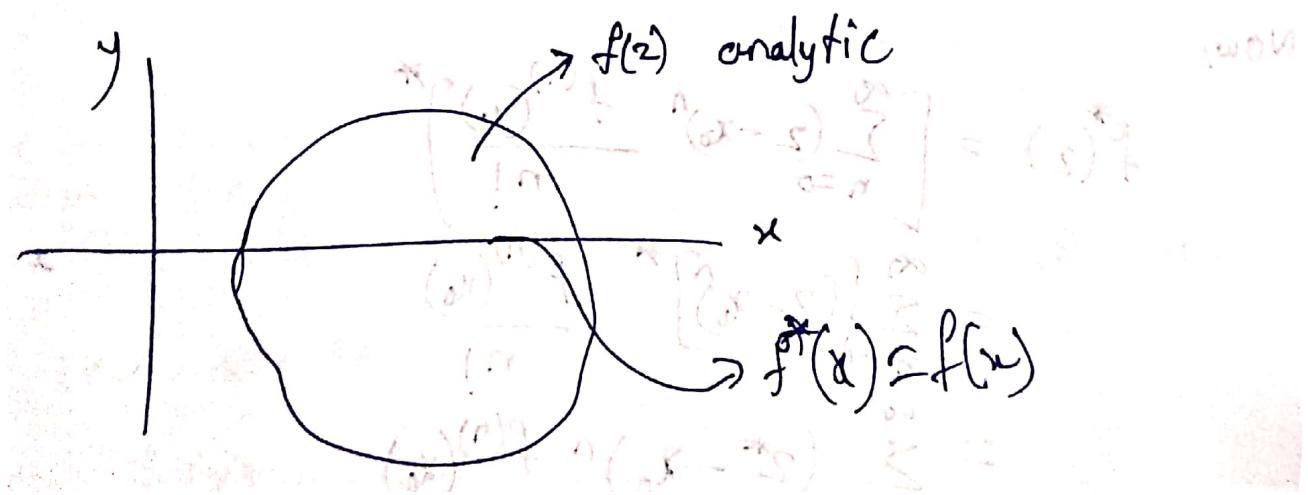
$$f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (z-z_0)^n \frac{f^{(n)}(z_0)}{n!}$$

Hence proved!!!

### Schwarz reflection principle:-

The function  $f(z)$  is (1) analytic over some region including the real axis and (2) real when  $z$  is real, then,

$$f^*(z) = f(z^*)$$



for some point  $x_0$  on the real axis, we can make Taylor expansion for  $f(z)$  as

$$f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (z - z_0)^n \frac{f^{(n)}(x_0)}{n!}$$

Since  $f(x_0)$  is real, we can argue that  $f^{(n)}(x_0)$  must be real for all  $n$ .

$$f'(x_0) = \lim_{\delta z_0 \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x_0 + \delta z_0) - f(x_0)}{\delta z_0}$$

$$= \lim_{\delta z_0 \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x_0 + \delta z_0) - f(x_0)}{-i \delta y_0}; \quad \delta y_0 = 0$$

so for small  $\delta z_0$ ,  $f'(x_0)$  is  $\mathbb{R}^2$  invariant  
 $\Rightarrow f'(x_0)$  is real

to show  $f'(x_0)$  is real, let's take another path

$$f'(x_0) = \lim_{\delta z_0 \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x_0 + \delta z_0) - f(x_0)}{\delta z_0}$$

Following this, one can show that  $f^{(n)}(x_0)$  is real.

Now,

$$f^*(z) = \left[ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (z - z_0)^n \frac{f^{(n)}(x_0)}{n!} \right]^*$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} [(z - z_0)]^* \frac{f^{(n)}(x_0)}{n!}$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (z^* - z_0)^n \frac{f^{(n)}(x_0)}{n!}$$

$$= f(z^*)$$

## Analytic Continuation:-

Consider the following function

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{1+z}$$

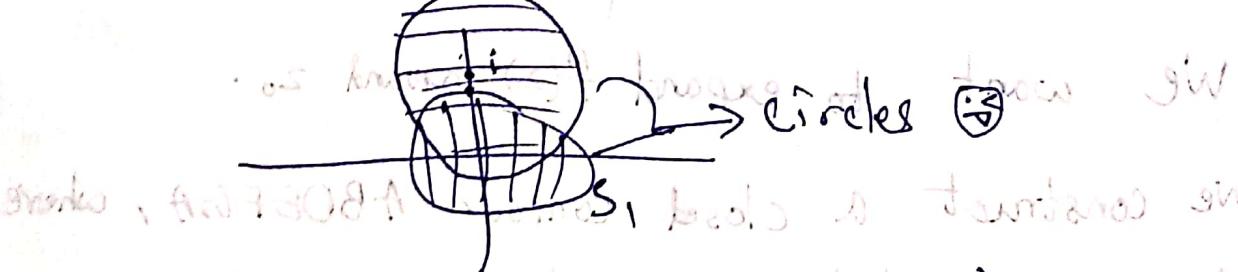
This function has singularity at  $z = -1$

for  $|z| < 1$

we can expand  $f(z)$  as

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{1-(-z)} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-z)^n \quad \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

The series expansion is valid in the regions,



Suppose we want to expand  $f(z)$  around  $z = i$ , then we can write

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{1+z} = \frac{1}{1+i+(z-i)} = \frac{1}{1+i} \times \frac{1}{1+\frac{z-i}{1+i}} = \frac{1}{1+i} \times (z-i)^{-1}$$

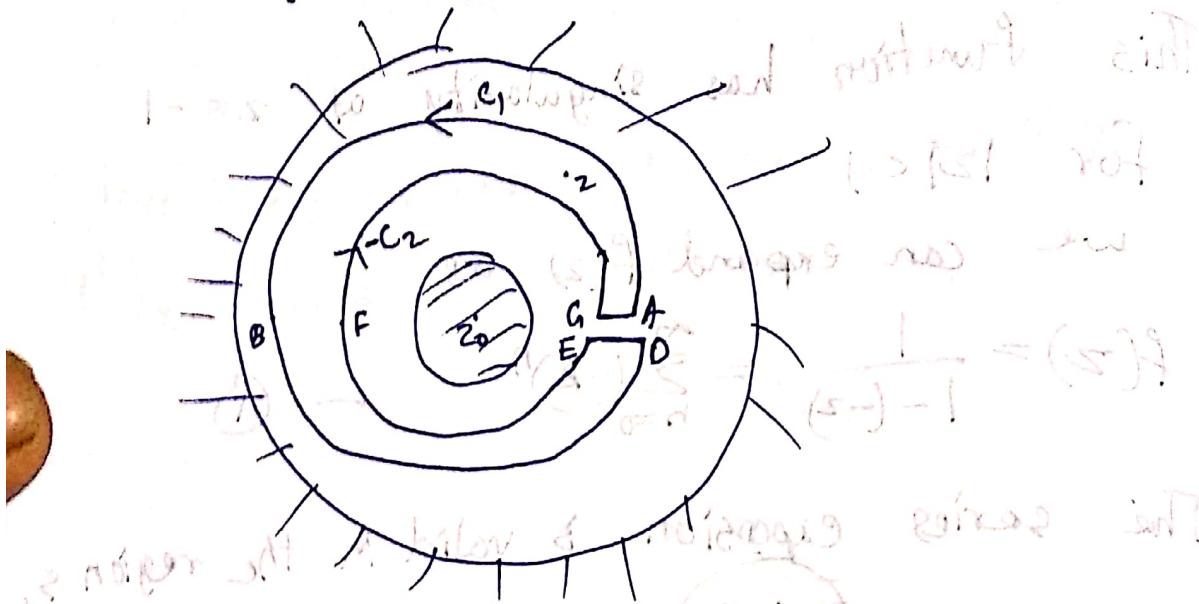
For  $\left|\frac{z-i}{1+i}\right| < 1$ , i.e.,  $|z-i| < |1+i| = \sqrt{2}$ , we

can write

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{1+i} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \left(\frac{z-i}{1+i}\right)^n = \frac{1}{1+i} (z-i)^n \quad \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

## Laurant Series

Suppose a function  $f(z)$  is analytic in the annular region  $\{z : r_1 < |z| < r_2\}$ .



We want to expand  $f(z)$  around  $z_0$ .

We construct a closed contour  $ABOEGFA$ , where  $f(z)$  is analytic on and within contours.

Applying Cauchy's integral formula and in the limit DE approaching GA, we get

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_{C_1} \frac{f(z')}{z' - z_0} dz' - \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_{C_2} \frac{f(z')}{z' - z_0} dz'$$

on contour

On  $C_1$  we have  $|z' - z_0| > |z - z_0|$ . On  $C_2$  we have  $|z - z_0| < |z_0 - z_0|$ .

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_{C_1} \frac{f(z') dz'}{(z' - z_0) \left[ 1 - \frac{z - z_0}{z' - z_0} \right]} + \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_{C_2} \frac{f(z') dz'}{(z' - z_0) \left[ 1 - \frac{z - z_0}{z' - z_0} \right]}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{f(z)}{z^l - z_0} \left( \frac{z-z_0}{z^l - z_0} \right)^n dz \\
&\quad + \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_{C_2} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{f(z)}{z-z_0} \left( \frac{z-z_0}{z^l - z_0} \right)^m dz \\
&\approx \frac{1}{2\pi i} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (z-z_0)^n \oint_C \frac{f(z)}{(z^l - z_0)^{n+1}} dz \\
&\quad + \frac{1}{2\pi i} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (z-z_0)^{-l(m+1)} \oint_{C_2} f(z) (z^l - z_0)^m dz
\end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow S_1 + S_2$  (from eq ①) if  $z_0$  lies outside  $C_2$

Now,  $S_2$  has to go to zero to satisfy ②

$$S_2 = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (z-z_0)^{-l(m+1)} \oint_{C_2} f(z) (z^l - z_0)^m dz$$

put  $m+1 = l$

$$S_2 = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} (z-z_0)^{-l} \oint_{C_2} f(z) (z^l - z_0)^{l-1} dz$$

$$S_2 = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{-1} (z-z_0)^n \oint_{C_2} \frac{f(z)}{(z^l - z_0)^{n+1}} dz$$

Substituting this in eq ①, we get (if  $f(z)$  is analytic)

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (z-z_0)^n \oint_C \frac{f(z)}{(z^l - z_0)^{n+1}} dz$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2\pi i} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{-1} (z-z_0)^n \oint_{C_2} \frac{f(z)}{(z^l - z_0)^{n+1}} dz$$

$$= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} a_n (z-z_0)^n ; \quad a_n = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C \frac{f(z)}{(z^l - z_0)^{n+1}} dz$$

This is Laurent Series of  $f(z)$  around  $z_0$ .

Poles:- Suppose  $f(z)$  is not analytic at  $z_0$ .  
We can express  $f(z)$  as

$$f(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} a_n (z-z_0)^n$$

In this expansion if  $a_n = 0$  for  $n < -m < 0$ ,  
then  $z_0$  is called a pole of order  $m$ .

If the first non-vanishing term of  $f(z)$  is  
 $n = -1$  then  $z_0$  is called a simple pole.

The coefficient  $a_{-1}$  in the expansion of  $f(z)$  is  
called residue of  $f(z)$  at  $z = z_0$ .

If, in the expansion of  $f(z)$ , the non-vanishing  
terms are upto  $n = -\infty$  then  $z_0$  is called  
essential singularity

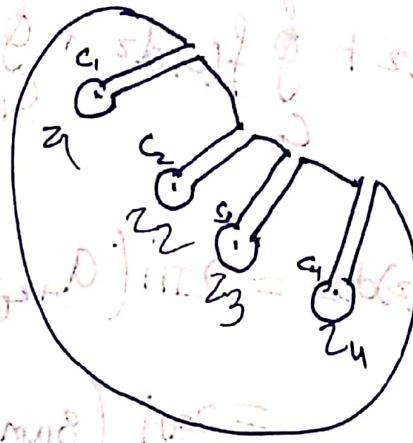
$$f(z) = \frac{a_{-m}}{(z-z_0)^m} + \dots + \frac{a_0}{z-z_0} + a_1(z-z_0) + \dots$$

$(z-z_0)^m f(z) \rightarrow$  no singularity

Residue Theorem:-

Suppose  $f(z)$  has some isolated singularities in  
the complex plane. For a contour encircling  
these singularities, the integral is,

$$\oint f(z) dz = 2\pi i (\text{sum of enclosed residues})$$



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We deform the original contour so the each isolated singular point is closed by an infinitesimally small, circular contours which is shown above.

Around isolated singular point  $z_i$ , we can expand  $f(z)$  as

$$f(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} a_n (z-z_i)^n$$

For a circular contour  $C$  centered at  $z_i$ , we have

$$\oint_C f(z) dz = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } n \neq -1 \\ 2\pi i a_{-1} & \text{if } n = -1 \end{cases}$$

For contours  $C_i$ ,

$$\oint f(z) dz = -2\pi i a_{-1} \quad \text{if } n = -1, \text{ otherwise } (8)$$

Here  $a_{-1}$  is residue of  $f(z)$  at  $z = z_i$

Applying Cauchy's integral theorem to the deformed contour and in the limit straight lines approaching, we get

$$\oint_C f(z) dz + \oint_{C_1} f(z) dz + \oint_{C_2} f(z) dz + \dots = 0$$

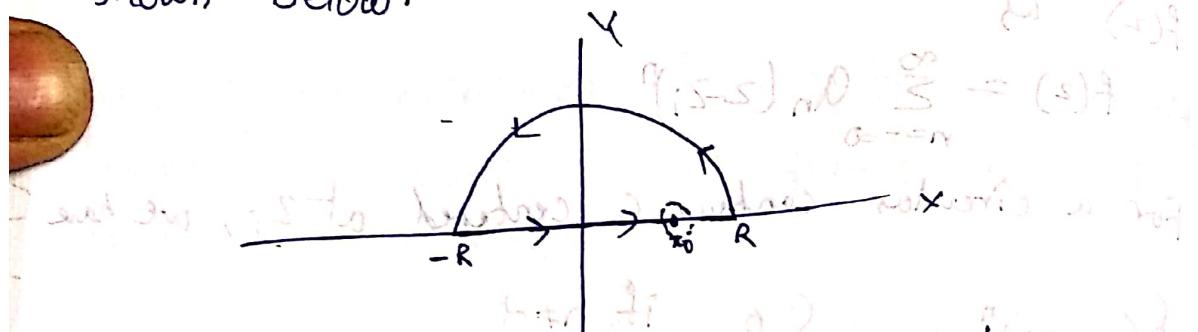
$$\Rightarrow \oint_C f(z) dz = 2\pi i (a_{1z_0} + a_{-1z_1} + a_{-1z_2} + \dots)$$

$$= 2\pi i (\text{sum of enclosed singularities})$$

Cauchy Principle Value :-

Suppose  $f(z)$  has isolated singular point  $z_0$

(simple pole) lying on the contour as shown below.



We deform the original contour by making a semicircle around  $z_0$ .

$f(z)$  around  $z_0$  can be written as

$$f(z) = \frac{a_{-1}}{z-z_0} + a_0 + a_1(z-z_0) + \dots$$

If  $C_{z_0}$  is clockwise,

$$\oint_{C_{z_0}} f(z) dz = a_{-1} \int_{C_{z_0}} \frac{dz}{z-z_0} + a_0 \int_{C_{z_0}} dz + \dots$$

$$= a_{-1} \int_{\pi}^0 \frac{se^{i\phi}}{se^{i\phi}} id\phi + a_0 \int_{\pi}^0 se^{i\phi} id\phi + \dots$$

In the limit  $\delta \rightarrow 0$ ,

$$\oint_{C_\delta} f(z) dz = -a_1 \pi i$$

If  $C_{x_0}$  is counter-clockwise

$$\oint_{C_{x_0}} f(z) dz = a_1 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{dz}{z-x_0} = a_1 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\delta e^{i\theta} i d\theta}{\sqrt{x_0^2 + \delta^2 e^{2i\theta}}} = a_1 \pi i$$

In the limit  $R \rightarrow \infty$ , from residue theorem,

$$\begin{aligned} \oint_{\text{infinite semicircle}} f(z) dz &= 2\pi i (\sum \text{enclosed residue}) \\ \Rightarrow \int_{-\infty}^{x_0-\delta} f(x) dx + \int_{C_{x_0}} f(z) dz + \int_{x_0+\delta}^{\infty} f(x) dx &= 2\pi i (\sum \text{enclosed residue}) \end{aligned}$$

The Cauchy principal value of  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx$  is defined as

$$P \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx = \lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0} \left( \int_{-\infty}^{x_0-\delta} f(x) dx + \int_{x_0+\delta}^{\infty} f(x) dx \right)$$

If  $C_{x_0}$  is clockwise, then using part 1

$$\int_{\text{infinite semicircle}} f(z) dz + P \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx - a_1 \pi i = 0$$

If  $C_{x_0}$  is counter-clockwise

$$\int_{\text{infinite semicircle}} f(z) dz + P \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx + a_1 \pi i = 2\pi i a_1$$

\* Integrals of the form  $\int_0^{2\pi} f(\sin \theta, \cos \theta) d\theta$

1) Consider  $I = \int_0^{2\pi} f(\sin \theta, \cos \theta) d\theta$

For  $z = e^{i\theta}$ ,  $d\theta = ie^{i\theta} d\theta = i z dz$

$$\begin{aligned} d\theta &= -\frac{i dz}{iz} = \frac{-i}{z}, \quad z = \sin(\theta) \\ \sin \theta &= \frac{e^{i\theta} + e^{-i\theta}}{2i} = \frac{z + \frac{1}{z}}{2i} \end{aligned}$$

$\cos \theta = \frac{z^2 - 1}{2i}$   $\rightarrow$  limit off

Integral becomes,

$$I = i \oint f\left(\frac{z^2 - 1}{2i}, \frac{z + \frac{1}{z}}{2i}\right) \frac{dz}{z}$$

unit circle

By residue theorem,

$I = (-i)(2\pi i) \sum \text{residue with unit circle}$

Example:-  $I = \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{d\theta}{1 + e^{\cos \theta}}$   $|z| < 1$

Using previous method, we can write

$$I = \oint_{\text{unit circle}} \frac{1}{1 + e^{\left(\frac{z^2 - 1}{2i}\right)}} \left(-i \frac{dz}{z}\right)$$

$$= \oint_{\text{unit circle}} \frac{-2i}{e^{z^2/2} + e^{-z^2/2} + 1} dz$$

$$2^2 + \frac{2}{6} z^2 + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow z^2 = -\frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{6}\sqrt{1-8} \Rightarrow z = \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{6}\sqrt{1-8}$$

$$\Rightarrow z = -\frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{6}\sqrt{1-8}$$

For  $|z| < 1$ ,  $z_+$  lies outside the circle &  $z_-$  lies inside the circle.

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(z) &= \frac{1}{z^2 + \frac{2}{\epsilon} z + 1} = \frac{1}{(z-z_-)(z-z_+)} \\
 &= \frac{1}{z-z_+} \left[ \frac{1}{(z-z_+) - (z-z_+)} \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{(z-z_+)(z-z_+)} \cdot \frac{\left[ 1 + \frac{2-z_+}{z_+-z_-} \right]}{\left[ 1 + \frac{2-z_+}{z_+-z_-} \right]} \\
 &= \frac{1}{(z-z_+)(z-z_+)} \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{z-z_+}{z_+-z_-} \right) + \left( \frac{z-z_+}{z_+-z_-} \right)^2 + \dots \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

The residue of  $f(z)$  at  $z = z_+$  is

$$\frac{1}{z-z_-}$$
 (coeff of  $(z-z_+)^{-1}$ )

$$I = -i \frac{2}{\epsilon} (2\pi i) \left( \frac{1}{z-z_-} \right) = \frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{1-\epsilon^2}}$$

2) Consider  $I = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx$  where the

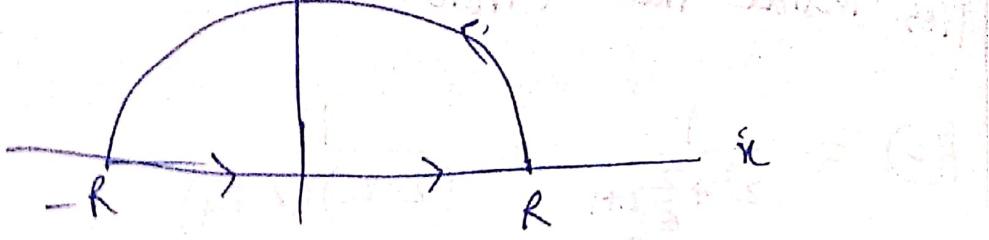
function satisfies the two conditions:

i)  $f(z)$  has finite number of poles

ii)  $f(z)$  vanishes as  $\frac{1}{z^2}$  for  $|z| \rightarrow \infty$

$(i+5)(j-5) \quad 7 \leq 0 \leq \arg(z) \leq \pi$

Let's choose a semicircular contour in the upper half plane.



From residue theorem,

$$\oint f(z) dz = 2\pi i \sum \text{residue in upper half plane}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^{\pi} f(R e^{i\theta}) R e^{i\theta} d\theta + \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_{-R}^R f(x) dx$$

$$= 2\pi i \sum \text{residues in upper half plane}$$

for  $R \rightarrow \infty$ , the first term goes to zero.

$$\text{why? } f(R e^{i\theta})R \rightarrow \frac{1}{R^2} \cdot R \rightarrow 0.$$

we get,

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx = 2\pi \sum \text{residues in upper half plane}$$

$$\text{Example:- } I = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{1+x^2}$$

$$\text{Consider } f(z) = \frac{1}{1+z^2} \approx \frac{1}{z^2} \text{ as } z \rightarrow \infty$$

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{z^2 - i^2} = \frac{1}{(z-i)(z+i)}$$

we can show  $f(z)$  has simple poles at  $i, -i$  with residues  $\frac{1}{2i}, -\frac{1}{2i}$

Applying previous method

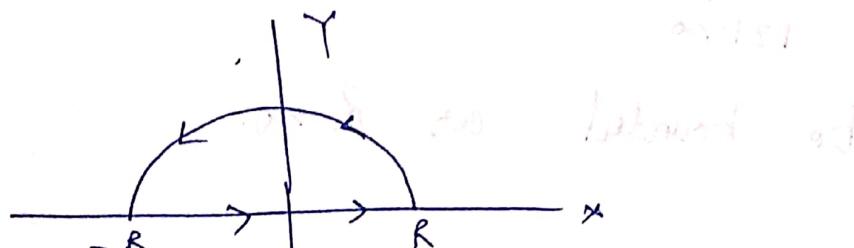
$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{z+x} = 2\pi i \left(\frac{1}{2i}\right)$$

3) Consider  $\boxed{I = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(z) e^{iaz} dz}$  with

a real and positive, the function  $f(z)$   
satisfies

i)  $f(z)$  has finite no. of poles

ii)  $\lim_{|z| \rightarrow \infty} f(z) = 0 \quad 0 \leq \arg(z) \leq \pi$



$$\oint f(z) e^{iaz} dz = 2\pi i \sum \text{residues}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_{-R}^R f(z) e^{iaz} dz + \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^\pi f(Re^{i\theta}) e^{ia(R\cos\theta + iR\sin\theta)} Re^{i\theta} d\theta \\ = 2\pi i \sum \text{residues.} \end{aligned}$$

$$*\int_{-\infty}^0 f(z) e^{iaz} dz$$

$$\oint f(z) e^{iaz} dz = (\sum \text{residues}) 2\pi i$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_{-\infty}^0 f(z) e^{iaz} dz + \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^\pi f(Re^{i\theta}) e^{ia(R\cos\theta + iR\sin\theta)} Re^{i\theta} d\theta \\ = 2\pi i (\sum \text{residues}) \end{aligned}$$

$$* I_R = \int_0^{2\pi} f(Re^{i\theta}) e^{-aR \cos \theta - aR \sin \theta} Re^{i\theta} d\theta$$

Using,

$$\left| \int f(\theta) d\theta \right| \leq \int |f(\theta)| d\theta$$

$$|I_R| \leq \int_0^{\pi} |f(Re^{i\theta})| e^{-aR \sin \theta} d\theta$$

Since,

$\lim_{|z| \rightarrow \infty} f(z) = 0$ , we can expect  $|f(z)|$

be bounded as  $R \rightarrow \infty$ .

Say,  ~~$\int f(\theta) d\theta$~~   $|f(Re^{i\theta})| < \epsilon$  as  $R \rightarrow \infty$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow |I_R| &\leq \epsilon R \int_0^{\pi} e^{-aR \sin \theta} d\theta \\ &\leq 2\epsilon R \int_0^{\pi/2} e^{-aR \sin \theta} d\theta \end{aligned}$$

for  $\theta \in [0, \frac{\pi}{2}]$ ,  $\frac{2\theta}{\pi} \leq \sin \theta$

$$|I_R| \leq 2\epsilon R \int_0^{\pi/2} e^{-aR \cdot \frac{2\theta}{\pi}} d\theta$$

$$\leq 2\epsilon R \left( \frac{1 - e^{-aR}}{\frac{aR^2}{\pi}} \right)$$

$$\lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} |\mathcal{I}_R| \leq \frac{\pi}{2} e^{-\alpha R} \rightarrow 0 \text{ (probability)}$$

$$\lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \oint_C f(z) e^{iaz} dz = 0 \quad (\text{semicircle})$$

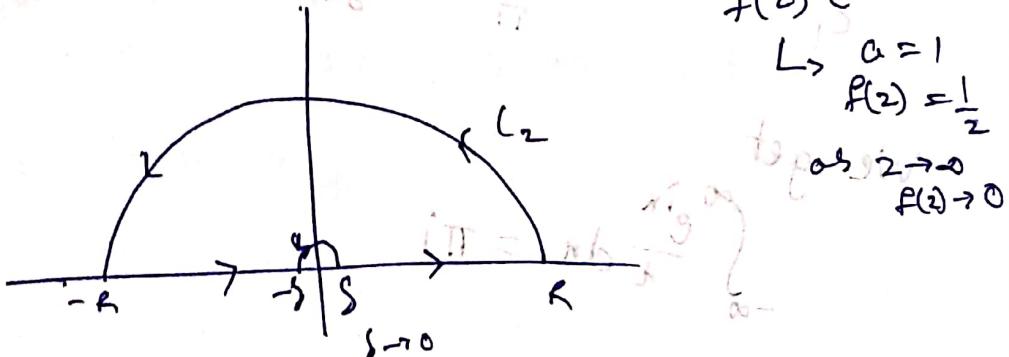
This is called Jordan's Lemma.

Using this, we get,

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) e^{ix} dx = 2\pi i \sum \text{residues in upper halfplane}$$

Example:-  $I = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx = \frac{1}{2} i \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\sin x}{x} e^{ix} dx$

Consider  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^{iz}}{z} dz$  as the below contour



We have strong component perhaps

$$\begin{aligned} \oint_C \frac{e^{iz}}{z} dz &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \int_{C_2} \frac{e^{iz}}{z} dz + \int_{-R}^S \frac{e^{ix}}{x} dx + \int_{L_2} \frac{e^{iz}}{z} dz + \int_S^R \frac{e^{ix}}{x} dx &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Using Jordan's Lemma with  $R \rightarrow \infty$  and  $\delta \rightarrow 0$

$$\int_{C_2} \frac{e^{iz}}{z} dz = 0$$

shifting the path

with  $R \rightarrow \infty, \delta \rightarrow 0$

$$\int_{-R}^{-\delta} \frac{e^{ix}}{x} dx + \int_{\delta}^R \frac{e^{ix}}{x} dx = P \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^{ix}}{x} dx$$

On  $C_1$ ,  ~~$z = se^{i\theta}$~~   $\int_{C_1} \frac{e^{iz}}{z} dz = \int_{C_1} \frac{1 + i\epsilon + (i\epsilon)^2 + \dots}{z} dz$

~~$$\int_{C_1} \frac{e^{iz}}{z} dz = \int_{C_1} \frac{1 + i\epsilon + (i\epsilon)^2 + \dots}{z} dz$$~~

On  $C_1$ ,  $z = se^{i\theta}$ , In the limit  $\delta \rightarrow 0$ ,

~~$$\int_{C_1} \frac{e^{iz}}{z} dz = \int_{\pi}^0 \frac{se^{i\theta} i s d\theta}{se^{i\theta}} = -\pi i$$~~

We get

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^{ix}}{x} dx = \pi i$$

Equating imaginary parts,

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx = \pi i.$$

Example: In Quantum Mechanics, we can have  $I(\sigma) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{x \sin x}{x^2 - \sigma^2} dx$ ,  $\sigma$  is real

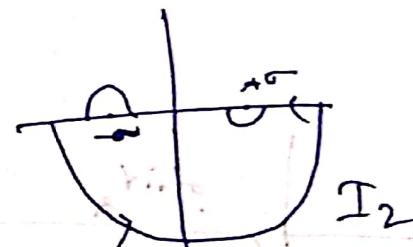
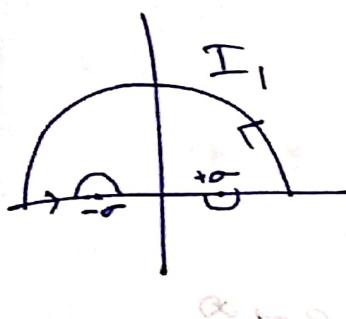
Consider

$$I = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{z \sin z}{z^2 - \sigma^2} dz$$

$$I = \frac{1}{2i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{z e^{iz}}{z^2 - \sigma^2} dz - \frac{1}{2i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{z e^{-iz}}{z^2 - \sigma^2} dz$$

$$= I_1 + I_2$$

these are of the form



$$\begin{aligned} f(z) e^{iz} \\ \downarrow \\ \frac{2}{z^2 - \sigma^2} \rightarrow 0 \\ \text{as } |z| \rightarrow \infty \end{aligned}$$

We can evaluate this integral also by taking  $\sigma \rightarrow \sigma + i\gamma$ ;  $\gamma \rightarrow 0$ ;  $\gamma \in \mathbb{R}$

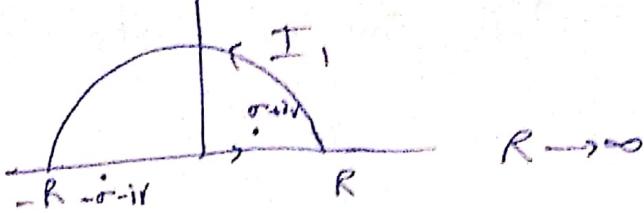
$$I(\sigma) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{x \sin x}{x^2 - \sigma^2} dx, \sigma \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$I = \frac{1}{2i} \left[ \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{z e^{iz}}{z^2 - \sigma^2} dz - \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{z e^{-iz}}{z^2 - (\sigma + i\gamma)^2} dz \right]$$

substitute  $\sigma \rightarrow \sigma + i\gamma$  with  $\gamma \rightarrow 0$   $\forall \gamma \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \frac{1}{2i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{z e^{iz}}{z^2 - (\sigma + i\gamma)^2} dz - \frac{1}{2i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{z e^{-iz}}{z^2 - (\sigma + i\gamma)^2} dz \\ &= I_1 + I_2 \end{aligned}$$

For  $I_1$ ,



Using residue theorem

$$\frac{1}{2i} \int_{2^2 - (\sigma + ir)^2}^{\infty} \frac{ze^{iz}}{z^2 - (\sigma + ir)^2} dz + \frac{1}{2i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{ne^{ix}}{x^2 - (\sigma + ir)^2} dx$$

infinite semicircle

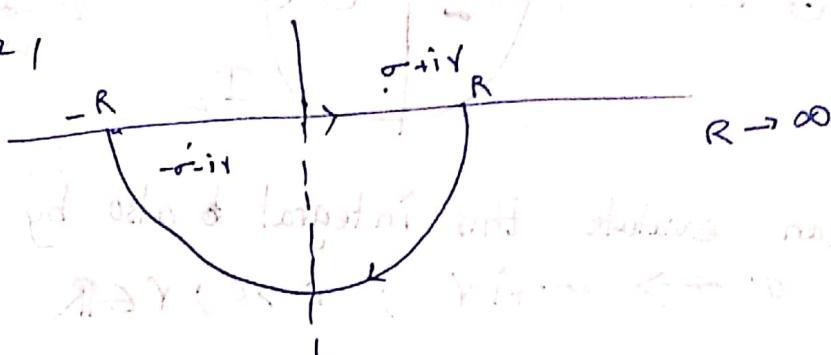
$$= \frac{1}{2i} 2\pi i \frac{e^{i(\sigma+ir)}}{2}$$

residue

for  $r \rightarrow 0$

$$I_1 = \frac{1}{2i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{ne^{ix}}{x^2 - \sigma^2} dx = \frac{\pi}{2} e^{i\sigma}$$

For  $I_2$ ,



Using Residue Theorem,

$$\frac{1}{2i} \int_{2^2 - (\sigma + ir)^2}^{\infty} \frac{ze^{-iz}}{z^2 - (\sigma + ir)^2} dz + \frac{1}{2i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{ne^{-ix}}{x^2 - (\sigma + ir)^2} dx = \frac{1}{2i} (-2\pi i) \frac{e^{i(\sigma+ir)}}{2}$$

infinite semicircle

With  $r \rightarrow 0$

$$I_2 = -\frac{1}{2i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{ne^{-ix}}{x^2 - \sigma^2} dx = \frac{\pi}{2} e^{-i\sigma}$$

$$I = I_1 + I_2 = \pi e^{i\sigma}$$

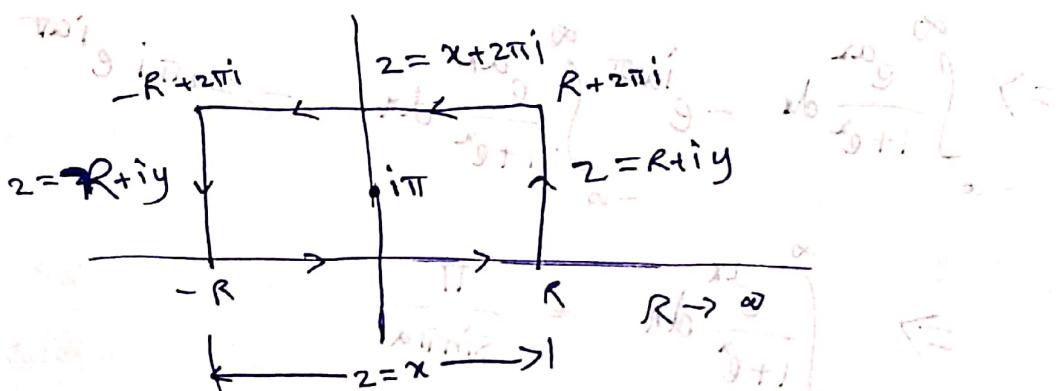
$$\begin{aligned} \sigma &\rightarrow \sigma + i\pi \rightarrow I = \pi e^{i\pi} \\ \sigma &\rightarrow \sigma - i\pi \rightarrow I = \pi e^{-i\pi} \end{aligned}$$

Example:-  $I = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\cos ax}{1+e^x} dx ; 0 < a < 1$

Let  $f(z) = \frac{e^{az}}{1+e^z}$

For singularities,  $e^z = -1 \Rightarrow z = \log(-1) = \ln e^{i(2n+1)\pi}$   
 $z = i(2n+1)\pi ; n \in \mathbb{Z}$

Let us choose  $i\pi$



Residue of  $f(z)$  at  $i\pi$  is!

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= \frac{e^{az(z-i\pi)}}{1+e^{z-i\pi}} e^{i\pi} \\ &= \frac{e^{ia\pi}}{1 - \left[ 1 + (2-i\pi) + \frac{(2-i\pi)^2}{2} + \dots \right]} \\ &= \frac{-e^{ia\pi} \cdot [1 + a(2-i\pi) + \dots]}{(2-i\pi) \left[ 1 + \frac{2-i\pi}{2} + \dots \right]} \rightarrow 1 + \text{(can be written)} \\ &= \frac{-e^{ia\pi}}{z-i\pi} + \dots \quad \text{we look only at leading term} \end{aligned}$$

From residue theorem,

$$\oint f(z) dz = 2\pi i (-e^{ia\pi})$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \int_{-R}^R \frac{e^{ax}}{1+e^x} dx + \int_R^\infty \frac{e^{a(x+2\pi i)}}{1+e^{x+2\pi i}} dx + \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{e^{a(Re^{iy})}}{1+e^{Re^{iy}}} dy \right]$$

$\arg z = \arg x + 2\pi i \Rightarrow \int_0^{2\pi} = 0$

$$= \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \left( \int_{-R}^R \frac{e^{(R+iy)}}{1+e^{R+iy}} idy \right)$$
$$= 2\pi i (-e^{ia\pi})$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^{ax}}{1+e^x} dx - e^{ia\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^{ax}}{1+e^x} dx = -2\pi i e^{ia\pi}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^{ax}}{1+e^x} dx = \frac{\pi}{\sin a\pi}$$

Mapping:-

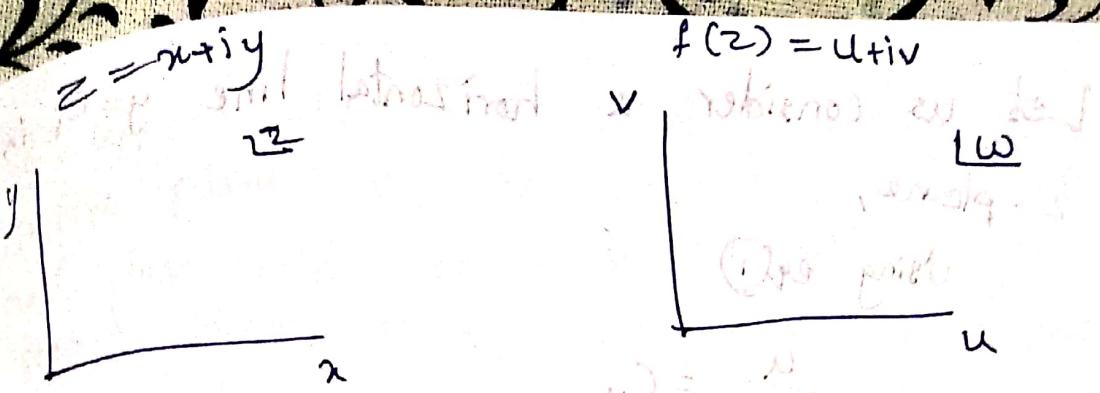
$$y = f(x)$$

Cartesian  $\rightarrow$

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{Let } (x,y) \\ \text{be a point} \\ \text{in } \mathbb{C} \\ \text{then } (x,y) \mapsto f(x) \\ \text{is a point} \\ \text{in } \mathbb{C} \end{array}$$

We have in  $\mathbb{C}_1$

$$f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$$



$$\text{Let } f(z) = \frac{1}{z}$$

$$u+iv = \frac{1}{x+iy} = \frac{1}{x^2+y^2}(x-iy) = \frac{x}{x^2+y^2} - i\frac{y}{x^2+y^2}$$

$$= \frac{x-iy}{x^2+y^2}$$

$$u = \frac{x}{x^2+y^2}, \quad v = \frac{-y}{x^2+y^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{u}{u^2+v^2}, \quad y = \frac{v}{u^2+v^2} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

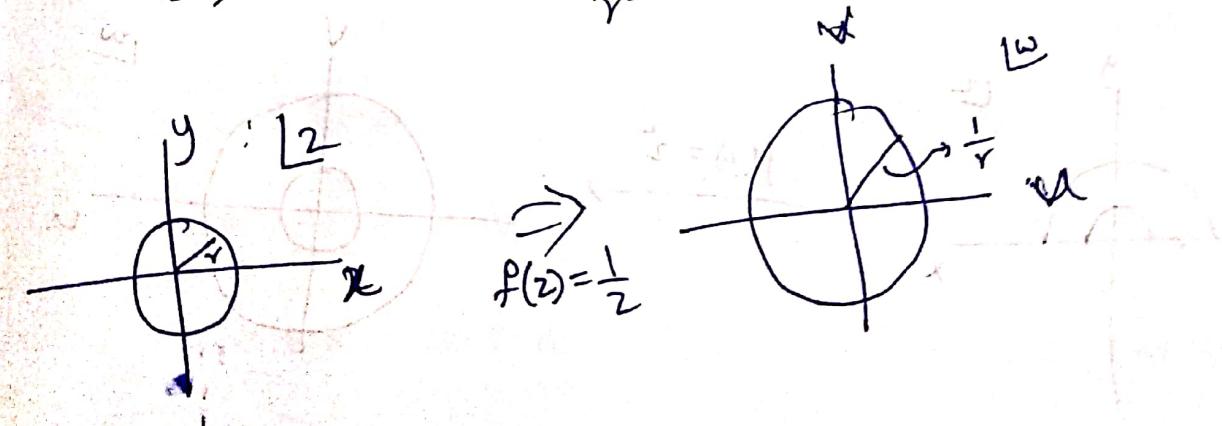
Let us consider a circle in  $z$ -plane centered at origin, with radius  $r$ . Then,

$$x^2 + y^2 = r^2$$

Using eq(1),

$$\frac{u^2}{(u^2+v^2)^2} + \frac{v^2}{(u^2+v^2)^2} = r^2 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow u^2 + v^2 = \frac{1}{r^2}$$



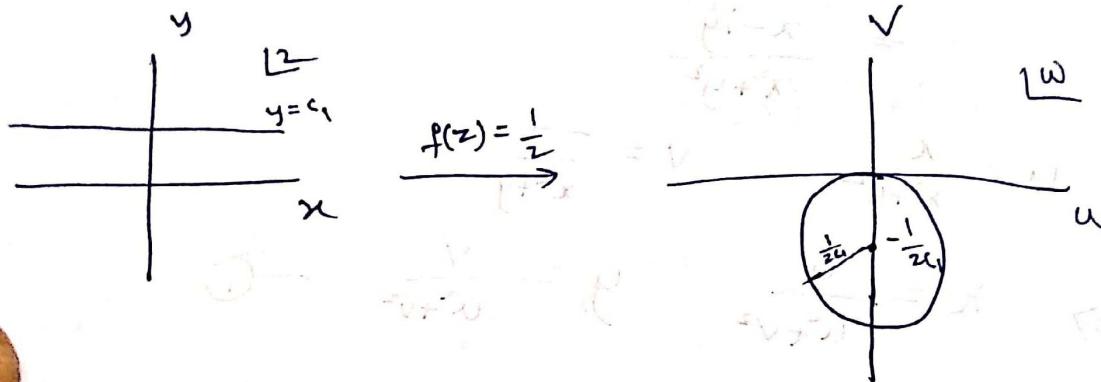
Let us consider a horizontal line  $y=c$ ,  
 $z$ -plane,

Using eq(1)

$$\frac{-u}{u^2+v^2} = c_1$$

$$u^2 + v^2 + \frac{1}{c_1} v = 0$$

$$u^2 + \left(v + \frac{1}{2c_1}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{1}{2c_1}\right)^2$$



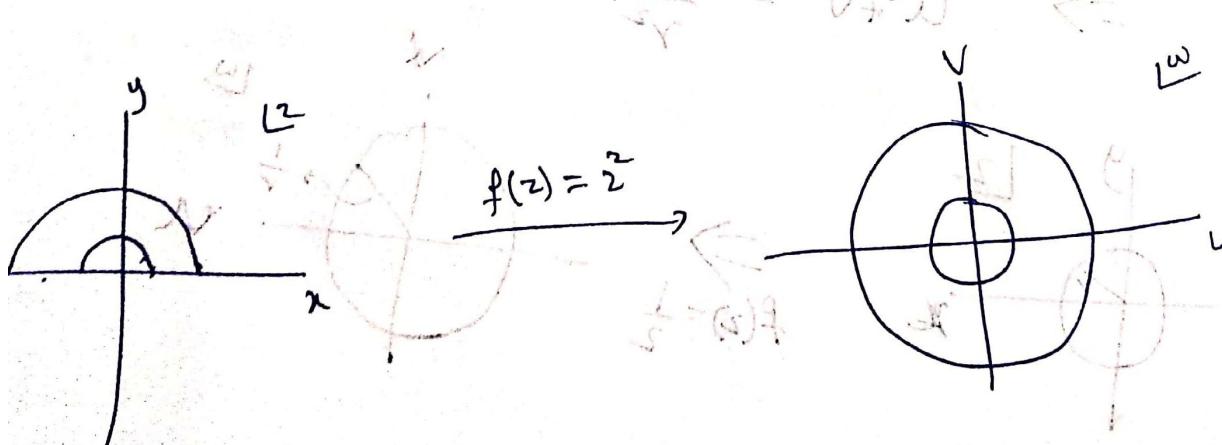
### Branch points and Multivalued functions:

Consider

$$f(z) = z^2$$

$$re^{i\phi} = (re^{i\theta})^2 = r^2 e^{i2\theta}$$

$$r = |z|, \quad \theta = \arg z$$



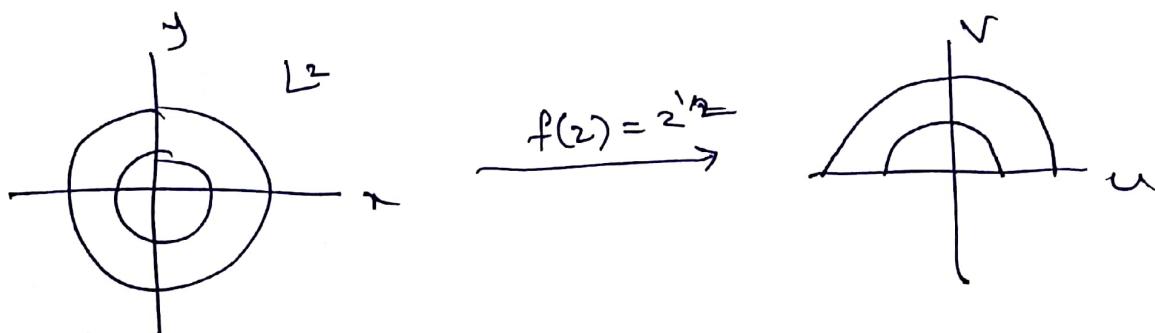
The upper half-plane in  $z$ -plane maps to entire plane in the  $w$ -plane. The lower half-plane will cover the  $w$ -plane for a second time. Here, two points in  $z$ -plane are mapped to one point in  $w$ -plane.

Now consider,

$$f(z) = z^{1/2}$$

$$r e^{i\phi} = (r e^{i\theta})^{1/2}$$

$$r = r^{1/2} \quad \phi = \theta/2$$



Here, one point in  $z$ -plane is mapped to two different points in the  $w$ -plane.

Points in  $z$ -plane under  $f(z) = z^{1/2}$  are mapped as  $0 \leq r < \infty, 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi \rightarrow$  upper half-plane in  $w$ -plane

$0 \leq r < \infty, 2\pi \leq \theta \leq 4\pi \rightarrow$  lower half-plane in  $w$ -plane

To make  $f(z) = z^{1/2}$  we define a cut line which is a straight line from  $z=0$  to infinity.

For example positive  $x$ -axis can be a cut line