

Complex Analysis Homework 1

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(7a): Assume $|w| < 1$ and $|z| < 1$. Then $w\bar{w} = |w|^2 < 1$ and $z\bar{z} = |z|^2 < 1$. So

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{w-z}{1-\bar{w}z} \right| &= \sqrt{\left(\frac{w-z}{1-\bar{w}z} \right) \left(\frac{\bar{w}-\bar{z}}{1-w\bar{z}} \right)} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{w\bar{w} - w\bar{z} - z\bar{w} + z\bar{z}}{1 - w\bar{z} - \bar{w}z + w\bar{w}z\bar{z}}} \\ &< \sqrt{\frac{2 - w\bar{z} - z\bar{w}}{2 - w\bar{z} - \bar{w}z}} \\ &= 1. \end{aligned}$$

Now assume $|z| = 1$. Then $z\bar{z} = |z|^2 = 1$. So

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{w-z}{1-\bar{w}z} \right| &= \sqrt{\left(\frac{w-z}{1-\bar{w}z} \right) \left(\frac{\bar{w}-\bar{z}}{1-w\bar{z}} \right)} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{w\bar{w} - w\bar{z} - z\bar{w} + z\bar{z}}{1 - w\bar{z} - \bar{w}z + w\bar{w}z\bar{z}}} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{w\bar{w} - w\bar{z} - z\bar{w} + 1}{1 - w\bar{z} - \bar{w}z + w\bar{w}}} \\ &= 1. \end{aligned}$$

Now assume $|w| = 1$. Then $w\bar{w} = |w|^2 = 1$. So

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{w-z}{1-\bar{w}z} \right| &= \sqrt{\left(\frac{w-z}{1-\bar{w}z} \right) \left(\frac{\bar{w}-\bar{z}}{1-w\bar{z}} \right)} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{w\bar{w} - w\bar{z} - z\bar{w} + z\bar{z}}{1 - w\bar{z} - \bar{w}z + w\bar{w}z\bar{z}}} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{1 - w\bar{z} - z\bar{w} + z\bar{z}}{1 - w\bar{z} - \bar{w}z + z\bar{z}}} \\ &= 1. \end{aligned}$$

(7b) : Fix $w \in \mathbb{D}$.

1. First observe that $z \in \mathbb{D}$ if and only if $|z| \leq 1$. Then for all $z \in \mathbb{D}$, we have

$$\left| \frac{w-z}{1-\bar{w}z} \right| \leq 1$$

by part (a). This implies

$$F(z) = \frac{w-z}{1-\bar{w}z} \in \mathbb{D},$$

So $F : \mathbb{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{D}$. To see that F is holomorphic in \mathbb{D} , we simply observe that F is the ratio of two holomorphic functions $f(z) = w - z$ and $g(z) = 1 - \bar{w}z$, where $g(z) \neq 0$ for all $z \in \mathbb{D}$.

2. We have

$$F(0) = \frac{w}{1} = w \quad \text{and} \quad F(w) = \frac{w - w}{1 - \overline{w}w} = 0.$$

3. If $|z| = 1$, then

$$|F(z)| = \left| \frac{w - z}{1 - \overline{w}z} \right| = 1$$

from part (a).

4. First we calculate $F \circ F$:

$$F(F(z)) = \frac{w - \left(\frac{w - z}{1 - \overline{w}z} \right)}{1 - \overline{w} \left(\frac{w - z}{1 - \overline{w}z} \right)} = \frac{\frac{w - w\overline{w}z - w + z}{1 - \overline{w}z}}{\frac{1 - \overline{w}z - \overline{w}w + \overline{w}z}{1 - \overline{w}z}} = \frac{-w\overline{w}z + z}{1 - \overline{w}w} = z.$$

So F is its own inverse. This implies F is bijective.

(10) : By definition, we have

$$\partial_z := \frac{1}{2} \left(\partial_x + \frac{1}{i} \partial_y \right) \quad \text{and} \quad \partial_{\bar{z}} := \frac{1}{2} \left(\partial_x - \frac{1}{i} \partial_y \right)$$

And since ∂_x and ∂_y commute with one another and are \mathbb{C} -linear, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_{\bar{z}} \partial_z &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\partial_x + \frac{1}{i} \partial_y \right) \frac{1}{2} \left(\partial_x - \frac{1}{i} \partial_y \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \left(\partial_x^2 - \frac{1}{i} \partial_x \partial_y + \frac{1}{i} \partial_y \partial_x + \partial_y^2 \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \left(\partial_x^2 + \partial_y^2 \right) \\ &= \Delta \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \left(\partial_y^2 + \partial_x^2 \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \left(\partial_y^2 + \frac{1}{i} \partial_y \partial_x - \frac{1}{i} \partial_x \partial_y + \partial_x^2 \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\partial_x - \frac{1}{i} \partial_y \right) \frac{1}{2} \left(\partial_x + \frac{1}{i} \partial_y \right) \\ &= \partial_z \partial_{\bar{z}}. \end{aligned}$$

(16a) : We have

$$\limsup \left(\left(|(\log n)^2| \right)^{1/n} \right) = \limsup \left(|\log n|^{2/n} \right) = 1.$$

Therefore the radius of convergence is $R = \frac{1}{1} = 1$.

(25a) : Let $\gamma : [0, 1) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ be given by $\gamma(t) = e^{2\pi it}$. Then

$$\int_{\gamma} z^n dz = 2\pi i \int_0^1 e^{2\pi nit} e^{2\pi it} dt = 2\pi i \int_0^1 e^{2\pi(n+1)it} dt = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } n \in \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{-1\} \\ 2\pi i & \text{if } n = -1. \end{cases}$$