

§ 0.1 Complex Numbers

Definition 0.1.1 (Complex Numbers). Define with \mathbb{C} the set of *complex numbers*, i.e. the set of numbers $z \in \mathbb{C} : z = (x, y)$ and $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$.

We define the *real and imaginary parts* of z as follows

$$\begin{aligned}\Re(z) &= x \\ \Im(z) &= y\end{aligned}\tag{1}$$

Definition 0.1.2 (Operations in \mathbb{C}). Take $z_1, z_2 \in \mathbb{C}$, then we define

$$\begin{aligned}z_1 = z_2 &\iff \Re(z_1) = \Re(z_2), \Im(z_1) = \Im(z_2) \\ z_1 + z_2 &= (\Re(z_1) + \Re(z_2), \Im(z_1) + \Im(z_2)) \\ z_1 z_2 &= (\Re(z_1)\Re(z_2) - \Im(z_1)\Im(z_2), \Re(z_1)\Im(z_2) + \Im(z_1)\Re(z_2))\end{aligned}$$

Theorem 0.1. *With the previous definitions the set \mathbb{C} forms a field.*

Definition 0.1.3 (Imaginary Unit). We define the imaginary unit $i = (0, 1) \in \mathbb{C}$. From this definition and the definition of product of two complex numbers, we have that $i^2 = -1$

With this definition, we have

$$\forall z \in \mathbb{C} \quad z = \Re(z) + i\Im(z)\tag{2}$$

Definition 0.1.4 (Complex Conjugate). Taken $z \in \mathbb{C}$, we call the *complex conjugate* of z the number w such that

$$w = \Re(z) - i\Im(z)\tag{3}$$

This number is denoted as \bar{z}

Definition 0.1.5 (Complex Module). We define the *module* or *norm* of a complex number, the following operator.

$$\|z\| = \sqrt{z\bar{z}} = \sqrt{\Re^2(z) + \Im^2(z)}\tag{4}$$

Definition 0.1.6 (Complex Inverse). The inverse of a complex number $z \in \mathbb{C}$ is defined as z^{-1} and it's calculated as follows

$$z^{-1} = \frac{\bar{z}}{\|z\|^2}\tag{5}$$

Definition 0.1.7 (Polar Form). Taken a complex number $z \in \mathbb{C}$ one can define it in polar form with its modulus r and its *argument* θ . We have that, if $z = x + iy$

$$\begin{aligned}r &= \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = \|z\| \\ \tan(\theta) &= \frac{y}{x}\end{aligned}\tag{6}$$

Definition 0.1.8 (Principal Argument). Taken $\arg(z) = \theta$ we can define two different arguments, due to the periodicity of the tan function.

1. $\text{Arg}(z) \in (-\pi, \pi]$ called the *principal argument*
2. $\arg(z) = \text{Arg}(z) + 2k\pi, k \in \mathbb{Z}$ called the *argument*

As a rule of thumb, using the previous definition of argument of a complex number $z = x + iy$, we have

$$\text{Arg}(z) = \begin{cases} \arctan(y/x) - \pi & x < 0, y < 0 \\ \arctan(y/x) & x \geq 0, z \neq 0 \\ \arctan(y/x) + \pi & x < 0, y \geq 0 \end{cases} \quad (7)$$

Definition 0.1.9 (\arg_+). Given $z \in \mathbb{C}$ we define the $\arg_+(z)$ as the only value of $\arg(z)$ such that $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$.

In case we have a polydromic function, in order to specify we're using this argument, there will be a $+$ as index.

I.e. $\log_+(z), [z^a]^+, \sqrt{z}^+, \dots$ and so on.

Theorem 0.2 (De Moivre Formula). *A complex number $z \in \mathbb{C}$ in polar form can be written with complex exponential and sine and cosine function as follows.*

$$z = \|z\|^2 e^{i \arg z} = \|z\|^2 (\cos(\arg z) + i \sin(\arg z)) \quad (8)$$

This formula easily generalizes the calculus of exponentials of complex numbers. With this definition, it's obvious that the n -th root of a complex number $\sqrt[n]{z}$ has actually $n - 1$ results, given the 2π -periodicity of the $\arg(z)$ function.

§ 0.2 Regions in \mathbb{C}

Definition 0.2.1 (Line). A line λ in \mathbb{C} , from z_1, z_2 can be written as follows

$$\lambda(t) = z_1 + t(z_2 - z_1) \quad t \in [0, 1] \quad (9)$$

If $t \in \mathbb{R}$ this defines the line lying between z_1, z_2 . Its non-parametric representation is the following

$$\{\lambda\} := \left\{ z \in \mathbb{C} \mid \Im \left(\frac{z - z_1}{z_2 - z_1} \right) = 0 \right\} \quad (10)$$

Where $z = \lambda(t)$.

Definition 0.2.2 (Circumference). A circumference γ centered in a point $z_0 \in \mathbb{C}$ with radius R is defined as follows

$$\gamma(\theta) = z_0 + R e^{i\theta} \quad \theta \in [0, 2\pi] \quad (11)$$

Non parametrically, it can be defined as follows

$$\{\gamma\} := \{ z \in \mathbb{C} \mid \|z - z_0\| = R \} \quad (12)$$

§§ 0.2.1 Extended Complex Plane $\hat{\mathbb{C}}$

Definition 0.2.3 (Extended Complex Plane). We define the *extended complex plane* $\hat{\mathbb{C}}$ as follows

$$\hat{\mathbb{C}} = \mathbb{C} \cup \{\infty\} \quad (13)$$

This can be imagined by projecting \mathbb{C} into the Riemann sphere centered in the origin.

Definition 0.2.4 (Points in $\hat{\mathbb{C}}$). Given a point $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $z = x + iy$ we can find its coordinates with the following transformation

$$\hat{z} = (xt, yt, 1 - t) \in \hat{\mathbb{C}} \quad (14)$$

Where the condition $\|\hat{z}\| = 1$ must hold, defining the value of $t \in \mathbb{R}$ Inversely, given $\hat{z} = (x_1, x_2, x_3) \in \hat{\mathbb{C}}$ one finds

$$z = \frac{x_1 + ix_2}{1 - x_3} \quad (15)$$

§ 0.3 Elementary Functions

Definition 0.3.1 (Exponential). The exponential function $z \mapsto e^z$ with $z \in \mathbb{C}$ is defined as follows

$$e^z = e^{\Re(z) + i\Im(z)} = e^{\Re(z)} (\cos(\Im(z)) + i \sin(\Im(z))) \quad (16)$$

This gives

$$\begin{aligned} \|e^z\| &= \left| e^{\Re(z)} \right| \\ \arg(e^z) &= \Im(z) + 2\pi k \quad k \in \mathbb{Z} \end{aligned} \quad (17)$$

We have therefore, for $z, w \in \mathbb{C}$

$$\begin{aligned} e^z e^w &= e^{z+w} \\ \frac{e^z}{e^w} &= e^{z-w} \end{aligned} \quad (18)$$

Definition 0.3.2 (Logarithm). We define the logarithm function $z \mapsto \log z$ as follows

$$\log(z) = \log \|z\| + i \arg(z) \quad (19)$$

It's evident how this function has multiple values for the same z value, and therefore is known as a *polydromic function*, like the square root. We also define the principal branch of the logarithm as $\text{Log}(z)$

$$\text{Log}(z) = \log \|z\| + i \text{Arg}(z) \quad (20)$$

Lastly we define the $\log_+(z)$ as follows

$$\log_+(z) = \log(\|z\|) + i \arg_+(z) \quad (21)$$

Definition 0.3.3 (Branch of the Logarithm). A general branch of the log function is defined as the function $f(z) : D \subset \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ such that

$$e^{f(z)} = z \quad (22)$$

§§ 0.3.1 Complex Exponentiation

Definition 0.3.4 (Complex Exponential). Taken $s, z \in \mathbb{C}$, we define the complex exponential a follows, taken z a variable

$$z^s = e^{s \log(z)} \quad z \neq 0 \quad (23)$$

Its derivative has the following value

$$\frac{d}{dz} z^s = s e^{(s-1) \log(z)} = s z^{s-1} \quad (24)$$

Alternatively, we define

$$s^z = e^{z \log(s)} \quad (25)$$

§§ 0.3.2 Properties of Trigonometric Functions

Definition 0.3.5 (Trigonometric Functions). Using De Moivre's formula, we define

$$\begin{aligned}\sin(z) &= \frac{1}{2i} (e^{iz} - e^{-iz}) \\ \cos(z) &= \frac{1}{2} (e^{iz} + e^{-iz})\end{aligned}\tag{26}$$

Definition 0.3.6 (Hyperbolic Functions). We define the hyperbolic functions as follows, given $z = iy$

$$\begin{aligned}\sinh(y) &= -i \sin(iy) \\ \cosh(y) &= \cos(iy)\end{aligned}\tag{27}$$

For a general value of z , we define

$$\begin{aligned}\sinh(z) &= \frac{1}{2} (e^z - e^{-z}) \\ \cosh(z) &= \frac{1}{2} (e^z + e^{-z})\end{aligned}\tag{28}$$

Theorem 0.3 (Trigonometric Identities). *Given $z, z_1, z_2 \in \mathbb{C}$ we have*

$$\begin{aligned}\sin^2(z) + \cos^2(z) &= 1 \\ \sin(z_1 \pm z_2) &= \sin(z_1) \cos(z_2) \pm \cos(z_1) \sin(z_2) \\ \cos(z_1 \pm z_2) &= \cos(z_1) \cos(z_2) \mp \sin(z_1) \sin(z_2) \\ \sin(z) &= \sin(\Re(z)) \cosh(\Im(z)) + i \cos(\Re(z)) \sinh(\Im(z)) \\ \cos(z) &= \cos(\Re(z)) \cosh(\Im(z)) - i \sin(\Re(z)) \sinh(\Im(z)) \\ \|\sin(z)\|^2 &= \sin^2(\Re(x)) + \sinh^2(\Im(y)) \\ \|\cos(z)\|^2 &= \cos^2(\Re(x)) + \sinh^2(\Im(y)) \\ \cosh^2(z) - \sinh^2(z) &= 1 \\ \sinh(z_1 \pm z_2) &= \sinh(z_1) \cosh(z_2) \pm \cosh(z_1) \sinh(z_2) \\ \cos(z_1 \pm z_2) &= \cosh(z_1) \cosh(z_2) \pm \sinh(z_1) \sinh(z_2) \\ \sinh(z) &= \sinh(\Re(z)) \cos(\Im(z)) + i \cosh(\Re(z)) \sin(\Im(z)) \\ \cos(z) &= \cosh(\Re(z)) \cos(\Im(z)) + i \sinh(\Re(z)) \sin(\Im(z)) \\ \|\sin(z)\|^2 &= \sinh^2(\Re(x)) + \sin^2(\Im(y)) \\ \|\cos(z)\|^2 &= \cosh^2(\Re(x)) + \sin^2(\Im(y))\end{aligned}\tag{29}$$

Definition 0.3.7 (Inverse Trigonometric Functions). Given $z \in \mathbb{C}$ we define

$$\begin{aligned}\arcsin(z) &= -i \log \left(iz + \sqrt{1 - z^2} \right) \\ \arccos(z) &= -i \log \left(z + i \sqrt{1 - z^2} \right) \\ \arctan(z) &= -\frac{i}{2} \log \left(\frac{i - z}{i + z} \right)\end{aligned}\tag{30}$$

Definition 0.3.8 (Inverse Hyperbolic Functions). Given $z \in \mathbb{C}$ we define

$$\begin{aligned}\operatorname{asinh}(z) &= \log\left(z + \sqrt{z^2 + 1}\right) \\ \operatorname{arccos}(z) &= \log\left(z + \sqrt{z^2 - 1}\right) \\ \operatorname{atanh}(z) &= \frac{1}{2} \log\left(\frac{1+z}{1-z}\right)\end{aligned}\tag{31}$$