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Practical 14

Question: Locate the poles of $f(z) = \frac{1}{z^4 + 26z^2 + 5}$ and specify their order.

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In[*]:= f[z_] = 1 / (5 z^4 + 26 z^2 + 5);
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In[*]:= Solve[1 / f[z] == 0, z]
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Out[*]=

$$\left\{ \left\{ z \rightarrow -\frac{i}{\sqrt{5}} \right\}, \left\{ z \rightarrow \frac{i}{\sqrt{5}} \right\}, \left\{ z \rightarrow -i\sqrt{5} \right\}, \left\{ z \rightarrow i\sqrt{5} \right\} \right\}$$

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"The function f has poles at $z = -\frac{i}{\sqrt{5}}$, $z = \frac{i}{\sqrt{5}}$, $z = -i\sqrt{5}$ and at $z = i\sqrt{5}$ of order 1."

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The function f has poles at $z = -\frac{i}{\sqrt{5}}$, $z = \frac{i}{\sqrt{5}}$, $z = -i\sqrt{5}$ and at $z = i\sqrt{5}$ of order 1.