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#3 Let  $p(z)$  be a polynomial of degree  $n$  and let  $R > 0$  be sufficiently large so that  $p$  never vanishes in  $\{z : |z| \geq R\}$ . If  $\gamma(t) = Re^{it}$ ,  $0 \leq t \leq 2\pi$ , show that  $\int_{\gamma} \frac{p'(z)}{p(z)} dz = 2\pi in$ .

We have that  $p(z) = c(z - a_1) \cdots (z - a_n)$  by Corollary 3.6.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int_{\gamma} \frac{p'(z)}{p(z)} dz &= \int_{\gamma} \frac{(c(z - a_1) \cdots (z - a_n))'}{c(z - a_1) \cdots (z - a_n)} dz \\
 &= \int_{\gamma} \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (z - a_1) \cdots (z - a_{i-1})(z - a_{i+1}) \cdots (z - a_n)}{(z - a_1) \cdots (z - a_n)} dz \\
 &= \int_{\gamma} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{(z - a_i)} dz \text{ as } (z - a_j) \neq 0 \text{ for all } j \text{ on } \{z : |z| \geq R\} \\
 &= \sum_{i=1}^n \int_{\gamma} \frac{1}{z - a_i} dz \\
 &= \sum_{i=1}^n 2\pi i \text{ by Proposition 2.6} \\
 &= 2\pi in
 \end{aligned}$$

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#6 Let  $f$  be analytic on  $D = B(0; 1)$  and suppose  $|f(z)| \leq 1$  for  $|z| < 1$ . Show  $|f'(0)| \leq 1$ .

By Theorem 2.14 Cauchy's Estimate, we have the hypothesis such that  $M = 1$ ,  $R = 1$  and  $a = 0$ . Hence  $|f'(0)| \leq 1$ .

#8 Let  $G$  be a region and suppose  $f_n : G \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is analytic for each  $n \geq 1$ . Suppose that  $\{f_n\}$  converges uniformly to a function  $f : G \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ . Show that  $f$  is analytic.

Since  $\{f_n\}$  converges uniformly on  $G$  to  $f$ , then  $f$  is continuous on  $G$ . Now we must show  $\int_T f = 0$  for every triangular path  $T$  in  $G$ . Let  $\epsilon > 0$  and  $T$  be an arbitrary triangular path in  $G$  of length  $|T|$ . Then choose  $\delta > 0$  such that  $\delta \cdot |T| \leq \epsilon$ . Then  $\int_T f = \int_T f + 0 = \int_T (f - f_n)$  as  $\int_T f_n = 0$  because  $f_n$  is analytic on  $G$  for every  $n$ . Also there exists a  $N$  such that  $|f(z) - f_n(z)| \leq \delta$  for every  $z$  in  $G$  and  $n \geq N$  by uniform convergence. Then we have the estimate for every  $n \geq N$ :

$$\begin{aligned}
 \left| \int_T f(z) dz \right| &= \left| \int_T f(z) - f_n(z) dz \right| \\
 &\leq \int_T |f(z) - f_n(z)| |dz| \\
 &\leq \int_T \delta |dz| \\
 &= \delta |T| \\
 &\leq \epsilon
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore  $\left| \int_T f(z) dz \right| \leq \epsilon$  for any  $\epsilon$  and arbitrary  $T$  in  $G$ . Therefore  $f$  is continuous and  $\int_T f = 0$  for any  $T$  in  $G$  and we have satisfied the conditions of Theorem 5.10 (Morera's Theorem) and we can conclude that  $f$  is analytic.

#9 Show that if  $f : \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is a continuous function such that  $f$  is analytic off  $[-1, 1]$  then  $f$  is an entire function.

We have that  $f$  is continuous everywhere from the hypothesis of the problem. Therefore it is left to show that  $\int_T f = 0$  for every arbitrary triangular path  $T$  in  $\mathbb{C}$  to apply Morera's Theorem. Suppose  $T$  is an arbitrary triangular path in  $\mathbb{C}$ . If the triangle of  $T$ , does not contain  $[-1, 1]$  then  $\int_T f = 0$ .

Otherwise we have the triangle of  $T$  contains  $[-1, 1]$ . Let  $T$  have three vertices's  $\{z_1, z_2, z_3\}$ . We are guaranteed one vertex not on  $[-1, 1]$ . Call it  $z_1$ . Then we may parameterize  $\overline{z_1 z_2}$  as  $z_1 + t(z_2 - z_1)$  for  $t \in [0, 1]$  and  $\overline{z_2 z_3}$  as  $z_2 + t(z_3 - z_2)$  for  $t \in [0, 1]$  and  $\overline{z_3 z_1}$  as  $z_1 + t(z_3 - z_1)$  for  $t \in [0, 1]$ . Note the orientation is reversed for  $z_2 z_1$ . Let  $\ell_2(\alpha) = z_1 + \alpha(z_2 - z_1)$  and  $\ell_3(\alpha) = z_1 + \alpha(z_3 - z_1)$ . Then define  $T_\alpha$  as the triangle of  $\{z_1, \ell_2(\alpha), \ell_3(\alpha)\}$ . Then we may parameterize  $z_1 \ell_2(\alpha)$  as  $z_1 + t\alpha(z_2 - z_1)$  for  $t \in [0, 1]$  and  $\ell_2(\alpha) \ell_3(\alpha)$  as  $z_1 + \alpha(z_2 - z_1) + t\alpha(z_3 - z_2)$  for  $t \in [0, 1]$  and  $z_1 \ell_3(\alpha)$  by reverse orientation  $z_1 + t\alpha(z_3 - z_1)$  for  $t \in [0, 1]$ .

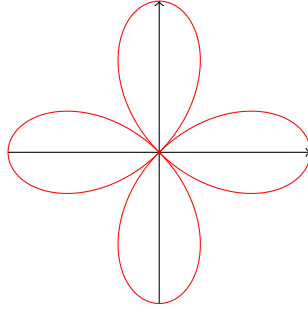
Then we have that

$$\begin{aligned} g(\alpha) &= \int_{T_\alpha} f(z) dz \\ &= \int_{z_1 \ell_2(\alpha)} f(z) dz + \int_{\ell_2(\alpha) \ell_3(\alpha)} f(z) dz + \int_{\ell_3(\alpha) z_1} f(z) dz \\ &= \int_{z_1 \ell_2(\alpha)} f(z) dz + \int_{\ell_2(\alpha) \ell_3(\alpha)} f(z) dz - \int_{z_1 \ell_3(\alpha)} f(z) dz \\ &= \int_0^1 f(z_1 + t\alpha(z_2 - z_1))\alpha(z_2 - z_1) dt + \int_0^1 f(z_1 + \alpha(z_2 - z_1) + t\alpha(z_3 - z_2))\alpha(z_3 - z_2) dt \\ &\quad - \int_0^1 f(z_1 + t\alpha(z_3 - z_1))\alpha(z_3 - z_1) dt \\ &= \int_0^1 f(z_1 + t\alpha(z_2 - z_1))\alpha(z_2 - z_1) + f(z_1 + \alpha(z_2 - z_1) + t\alpha(z_3 - z_2))\alpha(z_3 - z_2) \\ &\quad - f(z_1 + t\alpha(z_3 - z_1))\alpha(z_3 - z_1) dt \end{aligned}$$

Clearly since  $z_1$  is not on  $[-1, 1]$  then there exists some  $\alpha^* \in [0, 1]$  such that  $T_{\alpha^*}$  does not contain  $[-1, 1]$ . Hence  $g(\alpha^*) = \int_{T_{\alpha^*}} f = 0$  by Cauchy's Theorem. Then  $M_1 = f(z_1 + t(\alpha + h)(z_2 - z_1)) - f(z_1 + t\alpha(z_2 - z_1))$ ,  $M_2 = f(z_1 + (\alpha + h)(z_2 - z_1) + t(\alpha + h)(z_3 - z_2)) - f(z_1 + \alpha(z_2 - z_1) + t\alpha(z_3 - z_2))$ ,  $M_3 = f(z_1 + t(\alpha + h)(z_3 - z_1)) - f(z_1 + t\alpha(z_3 - z_1))$  is continuous with respect to  $t$  and  $\alpha$ . Moreover when  $h \rightarrow 0$  then  $M_i \rightarrow 0$ . Then  $\left| \frac{g(\alpha+h) - g(\alpha)}{h} \right| \leq \int_0^1 |M_1(z_2 - z_1) + M_2(z_3 - z_2) + M_3(z_3 - z_1)| \left| \frac{\alpha+h-\alpha}{h} \right| dt = \int_0^1 |M_1(z_2 - z_1) + M_2(z_3 - z_2) + M_3(z_3 - z_1)| dt$ . Therefore as  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left| \frac{g(\alpha+h) - g(\alpha)}{h} \right| = 0$  Hence  $g'(\alpha) = 0$  for all  $\alpha \in [0, 1]$ . Hence  $0 = g(1) = \int_T f$  and by Morera's Theorem  $f$  is analytic on  $\mathbb{C}$ .

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#5 Evaluate the integral  $\int_\gamma \frac{dz}{z^2+1}$  where  $\gamma(\theta) = 2|\cos 2\theta| e^{i\theta}$  for  $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$ .



The path is the following:

We can see that the poles  $-i$  and  $i$  are surrounded by one loop. Then by the most important integral formula we have:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\gamma} \frac{dz}{z^2 + 1} &= \int_{\gamma} \frac{\frac{i}{2}}{z + i} - \frac{\frac{i}{2}}{z - i} dz \\ &= \frac{i}{2} \int_{\gamma} \frac{dz}{z - (-i)} - \frac{i}{2} \int_{\gamma} \frac{dz}{z - i} \\ &= \frac{i}{2} 2\pi i - \frac{i}{2} 2\pi i \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

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- #15 Let  $f$  be analytic in  $G = \{z : 0 < |z - a| < r\}$  except that there is a sequence of poles  $\{a_n\}$  in  $G$  with  $a_n \rightarrow a$ . Show that for any  $\omega$  in  $\mathbb{C}$  there is a sequence  $\{z_n\}$  in  $G$  with  $a = \lim z_n$  and  $\omega = \lim f(z_n)$ .

Suppose there exists no sequence  $\{z_n\}$  with  $z_n \rightarrow a$  such that  $\lim f(z_n) = \omega$ . Therefore there exists a  $R < r$  such that  $B(a, R)$  then  $f(z) - \omega \neq 0$  otherwise we could find a sequence  $z_n$  such that  $f(z_n) = \omega$  for  $z_n$  in  $B(a, R_n)$ . Define  $g(z) = \frac{1}{f(z) - \omega}$  is analytic on  $B(a, R) \setminus \cup \{a\}$  as  $g(a_n) = 0$ . Therefore  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} g(a_n) = 0$ . Hence  $\{z : g(z) = 0\}$  has a limit point on  $B(a, R)$ . Hence  $g(z) \equiv 0$  on  $B(a, R)$ . This is a contradiction that  $f$  has isolated singularities on  $B(a, R) \setminus \{a\}$ .

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- #2 Suppose  $f$  is analytic on  $\bar{B}(0; 1)$  and satisfies  $|f(z)| < 1$  for  $|z| = 1$ . Find the number of solutions (counting multiplicities) of the equation  $f(z) = z^n$  where  $n$  is an integer larger than or equal to 1.

Let  $\tilde{f}(z) = f(z) - z^n$  and  $\tilde{g}(z) = z^n$ . Then  $|\tilde{f} + \tilde{g}| = |f(z)| < 1 = |z^n| = |\tilde{g}|$  for  $|z| = 1$ . Then by the weak Rouché's Theorem, we have that  $Z_{\tilde{f}} = Z_{\tilde{g}} = n$  as  $\tilde{f}$  and  $\tilde{g}$  are analytic and do not have poles on the unit disk. Hence  $f(z) = z^n$  has  $n$  solutions.

- #9 Let  $\lambda > 1$  and show that the equation  $\lambda - z - e^{-z} = 0$  has exactly one solution in the half plane  $\{z : \operatorname{Re} z > 0\}$ . Show that this solution must be real. What happens to the solution as  $\lambda \rightarrow 1$ ?

We let  $\tilde{f}(z) = \lambda - z - e^{-z}$  and  $\tilde{g} = -\lambda + z$ . Then  $|\tilde{f}(z) + \tilde{g}(z)| = |-e^{-z}| = |e^{-x-iy}| = |e^{-x}| < 1 < |\lambda| < |\lambda - z| = |\tilde{g}|$  for all  $z$  in  $\{z : \operatorname{Re} z > 0\}$ . Therefore for any compact set including  $\lambda$ ,  $\{z : \operatorname{Re} z > 0\}$  we have that  $Z_{\tilde{f}} = Z_{\tilde{g}} = 1$  as both are analytic functions with no poles. Hence there is one solution by Rouché's theorem.

Suppose that  $z$  is a solution to  $\tilde{f}(z) = 0$ . Then  $\lambda - x - iy - e^{-x}(\cos(y) - i \sin(y)) = 0$ , then  $\lambda - x - e^{-x} \cos(y) = 0$  and  $-y + \sin(y)e^{-x} = 0$ . We have that  $\alpha \sin(y) - y = 0$  for  $y = 0$  for all  $\alpha = e^{-x} \leq 1$  which is true on the positive real half plane. Hence the imaginary part of  $z$  must be zero.

As  $\lambda \rightarrow 1$ . Then we approach  $1 - z - e^{-z} = 0$  which has a solution 0 which is outside the half plane.

#10 Let  $f$  be analytic in a neighborhood of  $D = \bar{B}(0; 1)$ . If  $|f(z)| < 1$  for  $|z| = 1$ , show that there is a unique  $z$  with  $|z| < 1$  and  $f(z) = z$ . If  $|f(z)| \leq 1$  for  $|z| = 1$ , what can you say?

Let  $\tilde{f}(z) = f(z) - z$  and  $\tilde{g}(z) = z$ . Then  $|\tilde{f} + \tilde{g}| = |f(z)| < 1 = |z| = |\tilde{g}|$  for  $|z| = 1$ . By Rouché's Theorem, we have that  $Z_{\tilde{f}} = Z_{\tilde{g}} = 1$  as  $\tilde{f}$  and  $\tilde{g}$  are analytic and don't have poles. Hence  $f(z) = z$  has 1 solutions. Hence a unique  $z$  in the disk.

We have that if  $f(z) = z$  or  $f(z) = z^2$  then there are infinitely many, and one solution. Thus we no longer can apply Rouché's Theorem.

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#2 Show that if  $f$  is a one-one entire function then  $f(z) = az + b$  for some constants  $a$  and  $b$ ,  $a \neq 0$ .

Since  $f$  is entire and one to one, then  $f$  must be a polynomial by Corollary 4.4. The only entire,  $1 - 1$  polynomial is linear. Furthermore  $a \neq 0$  otherwise  $f$  would be a constant, a contradiction to  $f$  being  $1 - 1$ .