

Lecture 15

Recall: If f has a pole of order m at z_0 , then we can write $f(z) = \frac{1}{(z-z_0)^m} g(z)$ where g is analytic & $g(z_0) \neq 0$.

$$\text{Res}(f; z_0) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{g(z)}{(z-z_0)^m} dz = C_{m-1} \quad \text{where } g(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} c_k (z-z_0)^k$$

We can get a Laurent series for f by writing $f(z) = \frac{1}{(z-z_0)^m} g(z) = \frac{1}{(z-z_0)^m} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} c_k (z-z_0)^k$

If $f(z) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k (z-z_0)^k$ is a Laurent series, then $\text{Res}(f; z_0) = a_{-1} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} c_k (z-z_0)^{k-m}$

Ex: Find a L.S. for $f(z) = \frac{\cos z}{z^4}$ centered at $z_0=0$.

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{z^4} \left(\sum \frac{(-1)^k z^{2k}}{(2k)!} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{z^4} \left(1 - \frac{z^2}{2!} + \frac{z^4}{4!} - \dots \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{z^4} - \frac{1}{2z^2} + \frac{1}{4!} - \frac{z^2}{6!} + \dots$$

$$= \sum \frac{(-1)^k z^{2k-4}}{(2k)!}$$

$\Rightarrow \text{Res}(f; 0) = a_{-1} = 0 = \text{Coefficient of } \frac{1}{z} \text{ term}$

$$= \sum_{n=m}^{\infty} c_{n+m} (z-z_0)^m$$

↓ index starting from negative.

Looks more like a Laurent series

Ex: Find $\text{Res}(f; 0)$ where $f(z) = \cot z = -\frac{\cos z}{\sin z}$

Trick: use pole of order 1.

Today we show another trick:

Note: $z_0=0$ is a pole of order 1, $\cot z = \frac{a_{-1}}{z} + a_0 + a_1 z + a_2 z^2 + \dots$

Want to find $a_{-1} = \text{Res}(\cot z; 0)$

$$\sin z \cdot \cot z = \cos z$$

$$(z - \frac{z^3}{3!} + \frac{z^5}{5!} - \dots) \left(\frac{a_{-1}}{z} + a_0 + a_1 z + a_2 z^2 + \dots \right) = 1 - \frac{z^2}{2!} + \frac{z^4}{4!} - \dots$$

$$\text{expand this: } a_{-1} + a_0 z + (a_1 - \frac{a_{-1}}{3!}) z^2 + (a_2 - \frac{a_0}{3!}) z^3 + \dots = 1 - \frac{z^2}{2!} + \frac{z^4}{4!} - \dots$$

Compare

comparing coefficients:

$$\text{constant } a_{-1} = 1$$

$$z: \quad a_0 = 0$$

$$z^2: \quad a_1 - \frac{a_{-1}}{3!} = -\frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow a_1 = \frac{a_{-1}}{6} - \frac{1}{2} = -\frac{1}{3}$$

$$z^3: \quad a_2 - \frac{a_0}{3!} = 0 \Rightarrow a_2 = \frac{a_0}{6} = 0$$

$$\dots \quad \dots$$

$$\text{Hence } \text{Res}(f; 0) = a_{-1} = 1$$

Residue Theorem:

$$\text{Cauchy Formula: } \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{f(z)}{z-z_0} dz = g(z_0)$$

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{g(z)}{(z-z_0)^{m+1}} dz = C_m = \frac{g^{(m)}(z_0)}{m!}$$



(f analytic)

more like a generalization of Cauchy Formula

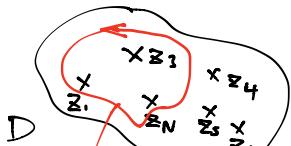
What if we want to integrate $\int_{\gamma} \frac{g(z)}{(z-z_0)(z-z_1)} dz$ where both z_0, z_1 lie inside γ .

$$\text{Note: } \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{g(z)}{(z-z_0)^{m+1}} dz = \text{Res}\left(\frac{g(z)}{(z-z_0)^{m+1}}, z_0\right)$$

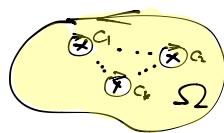
in a simply-connected region Δ

THM (Residue THM): Suppose f is analytic except for poles z_1, \dots, z_N . If γ is a simple closed curve which does not pass through the poles, then

$$\int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = 2\pi i \sum_{z_k \text{ inside } \gamma} \text{Res}(f; z_k) \quad \text{add up residues of all poles}$$



poles outside curve contribute nothing



circle 1
circle 2
circle k

Put small circles C_k around the pole z_k & take Ω to be the region between γ and the circles. f is analytic in Ω , so by Green's Thm & CR equations we get

$$\int_{\partial\Omega} f(z) dz = 0 = -\frac{1}{i} \iint_{\Omega} \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \right) dx dy$$

$$0 = \int_{\partial\Omega} f(z) dz = \int_{\gamma} f(z) dz + \sum_{z_k} \int_{C_k} f(z) dz$$

$$= \int_{\gamma} f(z) dz - \sum_{z_k} \int_{C_k} f(z) dz = 2\pi i \text{Res}(f; z_k)$$

$$= \int_{\gamma} f(z) dz - 2\pi i \sum_{z_k \text{ inside } \gamma} \text{Res}(f; z_k)$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = 2\pi i \sum_{z_k \text{ inside } \gamma} \text{Res}(f; z_k)$$

we are done.

Ex: Let γ be the circle of radius 100 centered at 0, find $\int_{\gamma} \frac{e^{iz}}{z^2 + 19z + 20} dz$

If a removable singularity inside γ , you don't need to add it up bc the residue of it is always 0.

(think about Laurent Series with only removable singularities? Just another power series.)

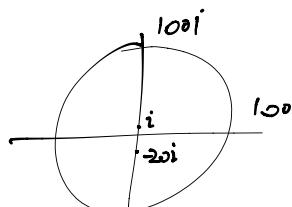
- Idea:
- ① Find poles (solve $\text{denom} = 0$)
 - ② Determine which are inside γ .
 - ③ Compute Residues
 - ④ Use Residue Thm

$$z^2 + 19z + 20 = (z+20)(z+1)$$

Poles of order at $z=-i$, $z=-20$

Both poles inside γ .

(so calculate both residues)



$$\text{Res}(f, i) = \frac{P(i)}{Q'(i)} = \frac{e^{ii}}{2i}$$

$$\text{Res}(f, 19i) = \frac{P(i)}{Q'(i)} = \frac{e^{i(20i)}}{2 \cdot (20i) + 19i} = \frac{e^{20}}{-21i}$$

$$\int f(z) dz = 2\pi i \left(\frac{e^{-1}}{2i} - \frac{e^{20}}{-21i} \right) = \frac{2\pi}{2i} (e^{-1} - e^{20})$$