

ANALYTIC FUNCTIONS

We write $z \in \mathbb{C}$, $z = x + iy$, $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$

Then, $f: \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ for $f(z) = u(z) + i v(z)$, $u, v: \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$
 $f(x, y) = u(x, y) + i v(x, y)$

PROPOSITION 1

If $f = u + iv$ is differentiable at z , then f_x, f_y exist and satisfy the Cauchy-Riemann Equation: $f_y = i f_x$

Proof

By def, f is diff $\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(z+h) - f(z)}{h}$ exists.

(i) As $h \rightarrow 0$ along the real axis, $\lim = \lim_{\xi \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+\xi, y) - f(x, y)}{\xi} = f_x$

(ii) As $h \rightarrow 0$ along the imaginary axis, $\lim = \lim_{\xi \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x, y+i\xi) - f(x, y)}{i\xi} = \frac{f_y}{i}$ (since change in y as ξ means change in z as $i\xi$)

$\therefore f_y = i f_x \quad \square$

QUESTION: IF f_x, f_y EXIST AT A POINT z , AND $f_y = i f_x$, DOES IT MEAN f IS DIFFERENTIABLE?

COUNTEREXAMPLE

$$f(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{xy(x+iy)}{x^2+y^2}, & z \neq 0 \text{ (i.e. } xy \neq 0) \\ 0, & z = 0 \Rightarrow (x, y) = 0 \end{cases}$$

We notice $f(z) = 0$ on both x -axis and y -axis $\Rightarrow f_x(0) = f_y(0) = 0$

However, along $y = ax$ ($a \neq 0$), we get: $f(x, ax) = \frac{a(1+i a^2)}{1+a^2} x \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x, ax)}{x+i a x} = \frac{a}{1+a^2}$

$\therefore \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(z+h) - f(z)}{h} \text{ DNE } \square$

Note: If we require continuity, then the statement would have held true

PROPOSITION

Suppose that f_x, f_y exist in a nbd of z and are conti at z . If f satisfies the Cauchy-Riemann Equation, then f is differentiable

Proof

Say $z = x + iy$, $h = \xi + i\eta$, and $f(z) = u(z) + i v(z)$

$$\frac{f(z+h) - f(z)}{h} = \frac{[u(x+\xi, y+\eta) - u(x, y)]}{\xi + i\eta} + i \frac{[v(x+\xi, y+\eta) - v(x, y)]}{\xi + i\eta}$$

By MVT with " $-u(x+\xi, y) + u(x+\xi, y)$ " and " $-v(x+\xi, y) + v(x+\xi, y)$ ",

$$= \frac{\eta}{\xi + i\eta} \left[\frac{u(x+\xi, y+\eta) - u(x+\xi, y)}{\eta} + i \frac{v(x+\xi, y+\eta) - v(x+\xi, y)}{\eta} \right] + \frac{\xi}{\xi + i\eta} \left[\frac{u(x+\xi, y) - u(x, y)}{\xi} + i \frac{v(x+\xi, y) - v(x, y)}{\xi} \right]$$

$$= \frac{\eta}{\xi + i\eta} [u_y(x+\xi, y+\theta_1\eta) + i v_y(x+\xi, y+\theta_2\eta)] + \frac{\xi}{\xi + i\eta} [u_x(x+\theta_3\xi, y) + i v_x(x+\theta_4\xi, y)]$$

We know $0 < \theta_k < 1$, $|\frac{\eta}{\xi + i\eta}| = |\frac{\text{Re}(h)}{h}| \leq 1$, $|\frac{\xi}{\xi + i\eta}| = |\frac{\text{Im}(h)}{h}| \leq 1$

Claim: $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(z+h) - f(z)}{h} = f_x(z)$

Proof

We know $f_x(z) = \lim_{\xi \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+\xi, y) - f(x, y)}{\xi}$

By C-R eq, $f_x(z) = \frac{\xi}{\xi + i\eta} f_x(z) + \frac{\eta}{\xi + i\eta} f_y(z)$

As f_x, f_y are conti,

$$\frac{f(z+h) - f(z)}{h} - f_x(z) = \frac{\eta}{\xi + i\eta} [u_y(x+\xi, y+\theta_1\eta) - u_y(x, y) + i(v_y(x+\xi, y+\theta_2\eta) - v_y(x, y))] + \frac{\xi}{\xi + i\eta} [u_x(x+\theta_3\xi, y) - u_x(x, y) + i(v_x(x+\theta_4\xi, y) - v_x(x, y))]$$

$\rightarrow 0$ as $h \rightarrow 0$, i.e. $\xi, \eta \rightarrow 0 \quad \square$

$\therefore f$ is differentiable and $f'(z) = f_x(z)$

DEFINITION

f is analytic at z if f is diffable in a nbd of z

Similarly, f is analytic on a set S if f is diff at all pts of some open set containing S .

DEFINITION

Let S, T be open sets of \mathbb{C} , and f be a 1-1 function on S with $f(S) = T$

We say g is the inverse of f on T if $f(g(z)) = z \quad \forall z \in T$.

We say g is the inverse of f at z if \exists open nbd U of z , s.t. g is the inverse of f on U

Remark: g is also 1-1

PROPOSITION

Suppose that g is the inverse of f at z_0 and g is continuous there. If f is diffable at $g(z_0)$ and if $f'(g(z_0)) \neq 0$, then g is diffable at z_0 and $g'(z_0) = \frac{1}{f'(g(z_0))}$

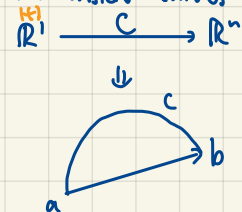
Proof

$$\frac{g(z+h) - g(z)}{h} = \frac{g(z+h) - g(z)}{f(g(z+h)) - f(g(z))} = \left(\frac{f(g(z+h)) - f(g(z))}{g(z+h) - g(z)} \right)^{-1} = \frac{1}{f'(g(z_0))} \quad \square$$

LINE INTEGRALS

Let $f(t) = u(t) + iv(t)$, $z(t) = x(t) + iy(t)$.

We consider curves as such:



We say $\int_a^b f(t) dt = \int_a^b u(t) dt + i \int_a^b v(t) dt$

DEFINITION

(i) Let $z(t) = x(t) + iy(t)$, $a \leq t \leq b$. The curve determined by $z(t)$ is called piecewise differentiable and we set $\dot{z}(t) = x'(t) + iy'(t)$ if x, y are continuous on $[a, b]$ and are continuously differentiable on each subinterval $[a, x_1], [x_1, x_2], \dots, [x_{n-1}, b]$ of some partition of $[a, b]$

(ii) The curve is said to be smooth, if $\dot{z}(t) \neq 0$ except at finitely many points.

In the following, we assume our curves are smooth.

DEFINITION

Say C is a smooth curve $\subseteq \mathbb{C}$, where $z(t) = x(t) + iy(t)$

Then, $\int_C f(z) dz = \int_a^b f(z(t)) dz = \int_a^b f(z(t)) \dot{z}(t) dt$

DEFINITION

Let C_1, C_2 be smooth curves $\subseteq \mathbb{C}$, where $C_1: z(t)$, $a \leq t \leq b$ and $C_2: w(t)$, $c \leq t \leq d$.

C_1 and C_2 are smoothly equivalent if \exists 1-1 C^1 mapping $\lambda: [c, d] \rightarrow [a, b]$ s.t. $w(t) = z(\lambda(t))$

(By def, this is provably an equivalence relation)

We denote smoothly equivalent with $C_1 \sim C_2$.

PROPOSITION

If $C_1 \sim C_2$, then $\int_{C_1} f(z) dz = \int_{C_2} f(z) dz$

Proof

We set $f(z) = u(z) + iv(z)$, $z = x(t) + iy(t)$

Then, $\int_{C_1} f dz = \int_a^b f(z(t)) z'(t) dt = \int_a^b [u(z) x'(t) - v(z) y'(t)] dt + i \int_a^b [u(z) y'(t) + v(z) x'(t)] dt$

With $\int_a^b u(z(t)) x'(t) dt = \int_a^b u(z(t)) x'(t) dt$, we can prove the equation \square

APPLICATIONS OF CR-EQUATION**DEFINITION**

$D \subseteq \mathbb{C}$ is called a region is open connected

Note, D : region $\Rightarrow x, y \in D$, \exists a curve consisting of vertical and horizontal line segments that connect.

Proof

For $x \in D$, say $U_x := \{y \in D \mid x \text{ connects to } y \text{ via vertical/horizontal line segments that connect}\}$

① " U_x is open":

For $y \in U_x \cap D$, D is open $\Rightarrow \exists$ open disk $B_\delta(y) \subseteq D$

$\therefore \forall a \in B_\delta(y)$, a can be connected to y by γ

$\therefore x \xrightarrow{\gamma} y \xrightarrow{\gamma} a \checkmark$

② " $D \setminus U_x$ is open":

For $y \in D \setminus U_x$, D is open $\Rightarrow \exists$ open disk $B_\delta(y) \subseteq D \Rightarrow B_\delta(y) \cap U_x = \emptyset \Rightarrow B_\delta(y) \subseteq D \setminus U_x \checkmark$

\therefore ① + ② + D is connected $\Rightarrow D = U_x$

PROPOSITION

If $f = u + iv$ is analytic on a region D and u is constant, then f is constant

Proof

$u \equiv \text{const} \Rightarrow u_x = u_y = 0$

By CR-eq, $v_x = v_y = 0$

As D is a region, thus $\forall a, b \in D$, $\exists \gamma$ connecting a and b

$\Rightarrow f(a) = f(b) \Rightarrow f \equiv \text{const} \square$

PROPOSITION

If f is analytic on a region D , and f is constant on D , then f is constant

Proof

$|f| = 0 \Rightarrow f = 0 \checkmark$

If $|f| \neq 0$, $|f| = C > 0 \Rightarrow u^2 + v^2 = C^2$

$\Rightarrow 2uu_x + 2vv_x = 0; 2uu_y + 2vv_y = 0$

By CR-eq, $u u_x - v u_y = 0; u u_y + v u_x = 0 \Rightarrow (u^2 + v^2) u_x = 0 \Rightarrow u_x = 0$. Similarly, we get $u_y = 0$.

As γ + prop above, thus this prop is true. \square