

MC319 Assignment-I

- ① Weierstrass's theorem for the sequence of functions states that if $\langle f_n(z) \rangle$ be a sequence of functions that are analytic in a domain D and it converges uniformly to $f(z)$, then the limit function is also analytic in D and the sequence of derivatives $\langle f'_n(z) \rangle$ converge uniformly to $f'(z)$.

Proof:

Since, $f_n(z)$ is analytic in $D \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$,

Hence, By Morera's theorem,

$$\int_{\gamma} f_n(z) dz = 0, \text{ where } \gamma \text{ is any closed curve in } D.$$

$$\text{Now, } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_{\gamma} f_n(z) dz = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{\gamma} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(z) dz = 0 \quad \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{Due to uniform} \\ \text{convergence} \end{array} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = 0$$

Hence, again by Morera's theorem,

$f(z)$ is analytic in D .

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} |f'_n(z) - f'(z)| &= \left| \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{f_n(\zeta)}{(\zeta - z)^2} d\zeta - \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{f(\zeta)}{(\zeta - z)^2} d\zeta \right| \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \left| \int_{\gamma} \frac{f_n(\zeta) - f(\zeta)}{(\zeta - z)^2} d\zeta \right| \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int \frac{|f_n(\zeta) - f(\zeta)|}{|\zeta - z|^2} |d\zeta|$$

As $f_n(z)$ uniformly converges to $f(z)$, so $|f_n(z) - f(z)|$ can be arbitrarily small

and hence

$|f_n'(z) - f'(z)| \rightarrow 0$ for sufficiently large n .

Therefore, $f_n'(z)$ converges uniformly to $f'(z)$.

② $f(z) = e^z + e^{1/z^2}$, $|z| > 0$

The Laurent series expansion is given as,

$$f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n!} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \left(\frac{1}{z^2}\right)^n$$

$$f(z) = 2 + z + \frac{1}{z^2} + \frac{z^2}{2} + \frac{1}{2z^4} + \dots$$

③ $f(z) = \frac{1}{(z+1)(z^2+2)}$

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{(z+1)(z-\sqrt{2}i)(z+\sqrt{2}i)} = \frac{1}{3(z+1)} - \frac{(\sqrt{2}+i)}{6\sqrt{2}(z-\sqrt{2}i)} - \frac{(\sqrt{2}-i)}{6\sqrt{2}(z+\sqrt{2}i)}$$

a) $1 < |z| < \sqrt{2} \Rightarrow |z| < \sqrt{2}$ and $|z| > 1 \Rightarrow \left|\frac{1}{z}\right| < 1$
 $\hookrightarrow \left|\frac{z}{\sqrt{2}i}\right| < 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So, } f(z) &= \frac{1}{3z} \left[\frac{1}{1 - (-\frac{1}{z})} \right] - \frac{(\sqrt{2}+i)}{6\sqrt{2}} \left[\frac{1}{1 - \frac{z}{\sqrt{2}i}} \right] - \frac{(\sqrt{2}-i)}{6\sqrt{2}} \left[\frac{1}{1 - \frac{-z}{\sqrt{2}i}} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{3z} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{1}{z}\right)^n + \frac{(1-\sqrt{2}i)}{12} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{z}{\sqrt{2}i}\right)^n \\ &\quad - \frac{(1+\sqrt{2}i)}{12} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{-z}{\sqrt{2}i}\right)^n \end{aligned}$$

$$(b) |z| > \sqrt{2} \Rightarrow 1 > \left| \frac{\sqrt{2}}{z} \right| \quad \text{and} \quad 1 > \left| \frac{1}{z} \right|$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= \frac{1}{32} \left[\frac{1}{1 - (-\frac{1}{z})} \right] - \frac{(\sqrt{2}+i)}{6\sqrt{2}} \left[\frac{1}{z(1 - \frac{\sqrt{2}i}{z})} \right] \\ &\quad - \frac{(\sqrt{2}-i)}{6\sqrt{2}} \left[\frac{1}{z(1 - (-\frac{\sqrt{2}i}{z}))} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{32} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{1}{z} \right)^n - \frac{(\sqrt{2}+i)}{6\sqrt{2}} \frac{1}{z} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}i}{z} \right)^n \\ &\quad - \frac{(\sqrt{2}-i)}{6\sqrt{2}} \frac{1}{z} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}i}{z} \right)^n \end{aligned}$$

$$(4) \quad u(x, y) = x^2 - y^2$$

$$u_x = 2x, \quad u_{xx} = 2 \quad \text{so,} \quad u_{xx} + u_{yy} = 0$$

$$u_y = -2y, \quad u_{yy} = -2$$

Hence, there exists an analytic function $f(z)$ whose real part is u and its imaginary part, the harmonic conjugate, say v .

$$\text{so, } f(z) = u + iv$$

Using Cauchy-Riemann equations,

$$u_x = v_y \quad \text{and} \quad u_y = -v_x$$

$$\text{so, } v_y = 2x \Rightarrow \int v_y dy = \int 2x dy$$

$$\text{and } v_x = -2y$$

Using total differential,

$$dv = v_x dx + v_y dy$$

$$dv = 2(y dx + x dy) = 2d(xy)$$

$$\text{so, } v = 2xy + C, \quad \text{where } C \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{So, } f(z) &= (x^2 - y^2) + i(2xy + c) \\
 &= x^2 + (iy)^2 + 2x(iy) + ic \\
 &= (x + iy)^2 + ic \\
 \Rightarrow f(z) &= z^2 + ic, \text{ where } c \in \mathbb{R}
 \end{aligned}$$

⑤ Let u and v be two harmonic functions in a domain D .

Now, let $w = u + v$

As, u & v are harmonic, so 1st and 2nd order partial derivatives exists for u & v and hence for w as well.

Also, u and v satisfy the Laplace equation,

$$\text{So, } u_{xx} + u_{yy} = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$v_{xx} + v_{yy} = 0 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$(1) + (2) \Rightarrow (u_{xx} + v_{xx}) + (u_{yy} + v_{yy}) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} (u + v) + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} (u + v) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} (w) + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} (w) = 0 \Rightarrow w_{xx} + w_{yy} = 0$$

Hence, w satisfies the Laplace equation.

Hence, proved that w is a harmonic function in D as well.

- ⑥ The mean-value theorem for harmonic functions states that for a harmonic function $u(z)$ in a domain containing the disk $|z - z_0| \leq R$,

$$u(z_0) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} u(z_0 + Re^{i\theta}) d\theta$$

Proof:

Let $f(z)$ be an analytic function in $|z - z_0| \leq R$ whose real part is u .

By Mean-value theorem for analytic functions,

$$f(z_0) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} f(z_0 + Re^{i\theta}) d\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow u(z_0) + i v(z_0) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} u(z_0 + Re^{i\theta}) d\theta + \frac{i}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} v(z_0 + Re^{i\theta}) d\theta$$

Comparing the real parts, we get

$$u(z_0) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} u(z_0 + Re^{i\theta}) d\theta$$

- ⑦ The maximum principle for harmonic functions states that a non-constant harmonic function cannot attain its maximum or minimum value in a domain.

Proof:

Let u be a non-constant harmonic function in a domain D .

Now, there exists an analytic function whose real part is u , say $g(z)$.

Now,

let $f(z) = e^{g(z)}$ be an ~~any~~ analytic function.

$$\text{So, } |f(z)| = |e^{g(z)}| = |e^u|$$

without loss of generality, let $z_0 \in D$ be the maxima of u .

Then, at z_0 , $|f(z)|$ is also maximum.

$$\text{Hence, } |f(z)| \leq |f(z_0)| \text{ (say } k)$$

Hence, $f(z)$ is a bounded analytic function.

So, $f(z)$ must be a constant function.

Hence, u must also be constant but that contradicts our hypothesis.

Hence, proved.

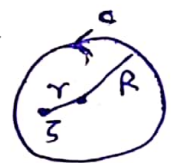
⑧ Poisson integral formula for harmonic function states that for a harmonic function u in a domain D , containing the disk $|z| \leq R$,

for $\zeta = re^{i\theta}$, ($r < R$)

$$u(re^{i\theta}) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \left(\frac{R^2 - r^2}{R^2 - 2rR \cos(\theta - \phi) + r^2} \right) u(Re^{i\phi}) d\phi$$

Proof:

Let $f(z)$ be an analytic function in domain D containing $|z| \leq R$ & $\zeta = re^{i\theta}$ be any point inside it.



Now, By Cauchy integral formula,

$$f(\zeta) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{f(z)}{z - \zeta} dz \quad \text{--- ①}$$

Now, inverse point of \bar{z} is $\frac{R^2}{\bar{z}}$, which lies outside the circle, so

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{f(z)}{\left(z - \frac{R^2}{\bar{z}}\right)} dz = 0 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$\text{Now, (2) - (1)} \Rightarrow f(\bar{z}) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{(R^2 - z\bar{z}) f(z)}{(z - \bar{z})(R^2 - z\bar{z})} dz$$

$$\text{Putting, } \bar{z} = re^{i\theta} \text{ and } z = Re^{i\phi} \\ dz = iR e^{i\phi} d\phi$$

$$\text{So, } f(re^{i\theta}) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{(R^2 - r^2) f(Re^{i\phi}) i R e^{i\phi}}{(Re^{i\phi} - re^{i\theta})(R^2 - R \cdot r \cdot e^{i(\phi - \theta)})} d\phi$$

$$\Rightarrow f(re^{i\theta}) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{(R^2 - r^2)}{R^2 - 2rR \cos(\theta - \phi) + r^2} f(Re^{i\phi}) d\phi$$

Now, comparing the real parts on both sides,

$$u(re^{i\theta}) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{(R^2 - r^2)}{R^2 - 2rR \cos(\theta - \phi) + r^2} u(Re^{i\phi}) d\phi$$

where u is a harmonic function.

(9) $u(x, y)$ is a harmonic function in a domain D .

So, u_x, u_y, u_{xx} & u_{yy} exist &

$$u_{xx} + u_{yy} = 0$$

$$\text{Let } g(z) = u_x - i u_y = U + iV$$

Comparing real and imaginary parts
and differentiating w.r.t x & y .

$$\frac{\partial U}{\partial x} = u_{xx} \quad \text{--- (1)}, \quad \frac{\partial U}{\partial y} = u_{xy} \quad \text{--- (2)}, \quad \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} = -u_{xy} \quad \text{--- (3)}, \quad \frac{\partial V}{\partial y} = -u_{yy} \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

Now, ① - ④ $\Rightarrow U_x - V_y = U_{xx} + U_{yy} = 0$
 $\Rightarrow U_x = V_y$

and ② + ③ $\Rightarrow U_y + V_x = U_{xy} - U_{xy} = 0$
 $\Rightarrow U_y = -V_x$

Hence, the function $g(z)$ satisfies the Cauchy-Riemann equation in domain D .

Hence, $g(z)$ is an analytic function in D .

Now, for ~~any~~^{some} $z_0 \in D$,

$$f(z) = \int_{z_0}^z g(t) dt \text{ is also analytic}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(z) = g(z)$$

Comparing real parts, we get

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} [\operatorname{Re}(f(z))] = U_x$$

$$\Rightarrow \operatorname{Re}(f(z)) = U + C$$

$$\Rightarrow \operatorname{Re}(\underbrace{f(z) - C}_{F(z)}) = U \Rightarrow \operatorname{Re}(F(z)) = U$$

Hence, there exists a function $F(z)$, whose real part is the harmonic function $U(x, y)$.

⑩ Schwarz's theorem states that if f be a constant real function defined on the unit circle $|z|=1$, then the real valued function,

$$u(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} P(z, e^{i\phi}) f(e^{i\phi}) d\phi$$

is harmonic in the disk $|z| < 1$.

where $P(z, z) = \text{Re} \left(\frac{z+z}{z-\bar{z}} \right) \text{Re} \left(\frac{z+z}{z-\bar{z}} \right)$

is the Poisson kernel.
(for disk $|z| < 1$ here)

Proof:

$$u(z) = \text{Re} \left[\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \left(\frac{e^{i\phi} + z}{e^{i\phi} - \bar{z}} \right) f(e^{i\phi}) d\phi \right]$$

$$\text{let } z = e^{i\phi} \Rightarrow dz = i e^{i\phi} d\phi$$

$$\Rightarrow d\phi = \frac{dz}{i z}$$

$$\text{So, } u(z) = \text{Re} \left[\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{|z|=1} \left(\frac{z+z}{z-\bar{z}} \right) f(z) \frac{dz}{i z} \right]$$

$$= \text{Re} \left[\frac{1}{2\pi i} \left(\int_{|z|=1} \frac{z f(z)}{z-\bar{z}} dz - \int_{|z|=1} \frac{f(z)}{z-0} dz \right) \right]$$

$$= \text{Re} \left[\frac{1}{2\pi i} (4\pi i f(z) - 2\pi i f(0)) \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow u(z) = \text{Re} \left[\underbrace{2 f(z) - f(0)}_{F(z)} \right] \Rightarrow u(z) = \text{Re}(F(z))$$

As $f(z)$ is analytic, so $F(z)$ is also analytic and $u(z)$ is the real part of $F(z)$,

Hence $u(z)$ is a harmonic function. Proved.