

Today: Automorphisms on \mathbb{D} and \mathbb{H}

Def: A fractional linear transformation (or a Möbius transformation) is a map of the form $z \mapsto \frac{az+b}{cz+d}$, where $a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R}$, and $ad - bc > 0$. (rules out constant maps).

Rmk: • the condition $ad - bc > 0$ is equivalent to $\det \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} > 0$.

- the transformation is invariant under rescale a, b, c, d simultaneously. i.e. If we replace a, b, c, d by ra, rb, rc, rd for some $r \in \mathbb{R} \setminus 0$. then we get the same map. $\left(\frac{az+b}{cz+d} = \frac{(ra)z+(rb)}{(rc)z+(rd)} \right)$

So: We can assume that $\det \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = 1$. SL_2(\mathbb{R})

• $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -a & -b \\ -c & -d \end{pmatrix}$ give the same fractional linear transf.

$$SL_2(\mathbb{R}) = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \mid \det \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = 1 \right\}$$

$a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R}$

$$PSL_2(\mathbb{R}) = \frac{SL_2(\mathbb{R})}{\pm 1} \xrightarrow{[-1]} \text{fractional linear transf.}$$

Lemma: $A = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}, A' = \begin{pmatrix} a' & b' \\ c' & d' \end{pmatrix} \in SL_2(\mathbb{R})$

$$\Downarrow \quad \Downarrow$$

$$f_A: z \mapsto \frac{az+b}{cz+d}$$

$$f_{A'}: z \mapsto \frac{a'z+b'}{c'z+d'}$$

$$f_{\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}}(z) = \frac{1 \cdot z + 0}{0 \cdot z + 1} = z$$

Then $f_A \circ f_{A'} = f_{AA'}$; $f_{\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}} = \text{id}$

Ex: $z \xrightarrow{f_{A'}} \frac{a'z+b'}{c'z+d'} \xrightarrow{f_A} \frac{a\left(\frac{a'z+b'}{c'z+d'}\right) + b}{c\left(\frac{a'z+b'}{c'z+d'}\right) + d}$

$\parallel ?$

$f_{AA'}(z)$

Prop: $\underline{A = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in SL_2(\mathbb{R})}$,

$z \mapsto \frac{az+b}{cz+d}$ is an automorphism of \mathbb{H} .

(i.e. \Leftrightarrow it's a biholomorphism $\mathbb{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{H}$)

Pf: Need: this is a bijection between \mathbb{H} to \mathbb{H}

- \Leftrightarrow hol. on \mathbb{H} .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Im}\left(\frac{az+b}{cz+d}\right) &= \text{Im}\left(\frac{(az+b)(c\bar{z}+d)}{(cz+d)(c\bar{z}+d)}\right) = \frac{1}{|cz+d|^2} \text{Im}\left(\frac{ac|z|^2 + bd}{+ ad\bar{z} + bc\bar{z}}\right) \\ &= \frac{1}{|cz+d|^2} (ad - bc) \text{Im}(z) \end{aligned}$$

so if $z \in \mathbb{H}$, then $\frac{az+b}{cz+d} \in \mathbb{H}$.

- f_A is a bijection $\mathbb{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{H}$:

Consider $A^{-1} \in SL_2(\mathbb{R})$, consider $f_{A^{-1}}$

$$\text{Then } f_A \circ f_{A^{-1}} = f_{A \cdot A^{-1}} = f_{\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}} = \text{id.}$$

$$f_{A^{-1}} \circ f_A = \text{id.}$$

$\Rightarrow f_A$ is bijective, and its inverse is $f_{A^{-1}}$.

Rank: $SL_2(\mathbb{R}) \longrightarrow \text{Aut}(\mathbb{H})$ group homomorphism.

$$A \longmapsto f_A$$

kernel of this map is $\{\pm \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}\} \subseteq SL_2(\mathbb{R})$

$$PSL_2(\mathbb{R}) = \frac{SL_2(\mathbb{R})}{\{\pm \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}\}} \hookrightarrow \text{Aut}(\mathbb{H})$$

We'll show that any automorphism of \mathbb{H} ~~\in~~

\sim Möbius transformation, i.e. $PSL_2(\mathbb{R}) \cong \text{Aut}(\mathbb{H})$

$\Rightarrow \text{Aut}(\mathbb{H})$ has "3 degrees of freedom".

§ Automorphisms on \mathbb{D}

e.g. $z \mapsto e^{i\theta} z$ (rotation by angle θ)

\bar{z} is an automorphism on \mathbb{D}

Rmk:

$$\mathbb{D} \dashrightarrow \mathbb{D}$$

$$i \frac{1-z}{1+z} \downarrow \text{biholo.} \quad \uparrow \text{biholo.} \quad \frac{i-z}{i+z}$$

$$\mathbb{H} \dashrightarrow \mathbb{H}$$

$$\{ \text{auto. on } \mathbb{H} \} \xleftarrow{I^{-1}} \{ \text{auto. on } \mathbb{D} \}$$

e.g. $\forall \alpha \in \mathbb{D}$, define $\psi_\alpha: \mathbb{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ (cf. HW1 #7)

$$z \mapsto \frac{\alpha - z}{1 - \bar{\alpha}z}$$

- $\psi_\alpha(0) = \alpha, \psi_\alpha(\alpha) = 0$

- $\psi_\alpha \circ \psi_\alpha = \text{Id}_{\mathbb{D}}$

- ψ_α maps $\partial \mathbb{D}$ to $\partial \mathbb{D}$

Lemma: $\psi_\alpha \in \text{Aut}(\mathbb{D})$

Pf: • $\frac{\alpha - z}{1 - \bar{\alpha}z}$ hol. on \mathbb{D} :

• ψ_α extends continuously to $\overline{\mathbb{D}}$, and send $\partial\mathbb{D}$ to $\partial\mathbb{D}$

$$\Rightarrow |\psi_\alpha(z)| = 1 \quad \forall |z|=1$$

• By max modulus principle, we have

$$|\psi_\alpha(z)| < 1 \quad \forall |z| < 1.$$

$$\Rightarrow \psi_\alpha: \mathbb{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{D}$$

• Since $\psi_\alpha \circ \psi_\alpha = \text{id}_{\mathbb{D}}$, so $\psi_\alpha = \psi_\alpha^{-1}$, and
 ψ_α is bijective. \square

Main thm: $\forall f \in \text{Aut}(\mathbb{D})$, $\exists \theta \in \mathbb{R}$, and $\alpha \in \mathbb{D}$

s.t. $f(z) = e^{i\theta} \psi_\alpha(z)$

Schwarz lemma: Suppose $f: \mathbb{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{D}$ hol. (not necessarily bi-jet)
 $f(0) = 0$

Then

1) $|f(z)| \leq |z| \quad \forall z \in \mathbb{D}$.

2) If $\exists z_0 \in \mathbb{D} \setminus \{0\}$ s.t. $|f(z_0)| = |z_0|$

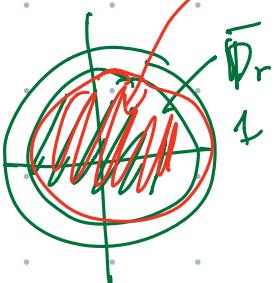
then f is a rotation. (i.e. $f(z) = e^{i\theta} z$ $\forall z$
for some θ)

3) $|f'(0)| \leq 1$ and If $|f'(0)| = 1$ then f is a rotation.

pf: 1) $\underline{g(z)} = \begin{cases} f(z)/z & \text{for } z \in \mathbb{D} \setminus \{z_0\} \\ f(z_0) & \text{for } z = z_0 \end{cases}$ holds on \mathbb{D}

$\forall 0 < r < 1$.

$$\max_{\overline{\mathbb{D}_r}} |g(z)| = \max_{\partial \mathbb{D}_r} |g(z)| = \max_{\partial \mathbb{D}_r} \frac{|f(z)|}{r} < \frac{1}{r}$$



Since $f(z) \in \mathbb{D}$

Let $r \rightarrow 1$, then we have,

$$\max_{z \in \mathbb{D}} |g(z)| \leq 1.$$

$$\Rightarrow |g(z)| \leq 1 \quad \forall z \in \mathbb{D}$$

$$\Rightarrow |f(z)| \leq |z| \quad \forall z \in \mathbb{D}. \quad \square$$

2) If $|f(z_0)| = |z_0|$ for some $z_0 \in \mathbb{D} \setminus \{0\}$

$$\Rightarrow |g(z_0)| = 1$$

But since $\max_{z \in \mathbb{D}} |g(z)| \leq 1$,

By max. modulus principle $\Rightarrow g \equiv \text{const} = e^{i\theta}$
for some θ

$$\Rightarrow f(z) = e^{i\theta} z \quad \forall z \in \mathbb{D}.$$

i.e. f is a rotation. \square

$$3), \quad f(0) = g(0).$$

$$\text{So } |f'(0)| \leq 1,$$

And, if $|f'(0)| > 1$, then by max. modulus principle

$$\begin{array}{c} |g(0)| \\ \downarrow \\ g \text{ const.} = e^{i\theta} \\ \downarrow \\ f \text{ rotation.} \end{array}$$

□

Coro: $f \in \text{Aut}(\mathbb{D})$ and $f(0) = 0 \Rightarrow f$ is a rotation

RF: $f, f^{-1} : \mathbb{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{D}$ holo. $f(0) = 0, f^{-1}(0) = 0$

Both satisfy the assumptions of the Schwarz lemma.

$$\text{So } |f(z)| \leq |z| \quad \forall z \in \mathbb{D}$$

$$|f^{-1}(z)| \leq |z| \quad \forall z \in \mathbb{D}$$

$$\Rightarrow |f(z)| \leq |z| = |f^{-1}(f(z))| \leq |f(z)| \quad \forall z \in \mathbb{D}$$

$$\Rightarrow |f(z)| = |z| \quad \forall z \in \mathbb{D}$$

$\Rightarrow f$ is a rotation.

□

Pf of main thm.

Suppose $f \in \text{Aut}(\mathbb{D})$,

- $\exists! \alpha \in \mathbb{D}$ st. $f(\alpha) = 0$
- Define $g = f \circ \underline{\psi_\alpha}$
- Then $\underline{g(0)} = f(\underline{\psi_\alpha(0)}) = f(\alpha) = 0$
- By Coro, $g = e^{i\theta}$ is a rotation.
- $f = g \circ \underline{\psi_\alpha^{-1}} = e^{i\theta} \circ \underline{\psi_\alpha} \quad \square$