

Question (1) (20 Points). Let $f(z)$ be the complex valued function of the complex variable $z = x + iy$ that is given by the expression

$$f(z) = |x^2 - y^2| + 2ixy$$

valid for all $z \in \mathbb{C}$. Find, precisely, the region of \mathbb{C} in which f is analytic.

- ① let $u = |x^2 - y^2|$ and $v = 2xy$
 u and v has to have first derivative and be continuous
 so $x^2 \neq y^2$
- ② if $x^2 > y^2$

$$u = x^2 - y^2, \quad v = 2xy$$

$$u_x = 2x, \quad v_y = 2y$$

$$u_y = -2y, \quad v_x = -2x$$

so the region of \mathbb{C} is $x^2 > y^2$ and any place in \mathbb{C} where $x \neq 0, y \neq 0$

$$\text{if } x^2 < y^2$$

$$u = y^2 - x^2, \quad v = 2xy$$

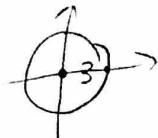
$$u_x = -2x, \quad v_y = 2y$$

Question (2) (20 Points). Let $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ denote a real parameter and consider the function

$$f(z) = ze^{i\alpha z^2}.$$

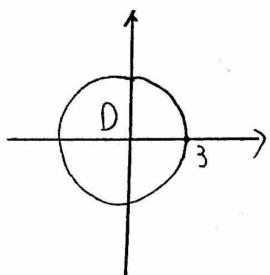
Let Γ denote the circular contour of radius 3 centered at the origin, i.e. $\Gamma : |z| = 3$. Compute

$$\oint_{\Gamma} \frac{f(z)}{(z - [1+i])} dz.$$



Justify all steps.

$$f(z) = ze^{i\alpha z^2}$$



$f(z)$ is analytic in the region D included Γ

$$\oint_{\Gamma} \frac{f(z)}{(z - [1+i])} dz = 2\pi i f(z_0), \quad z_0 = 1+i \quad \text{use Cauchy Integral}$$

$$f(z_0) = (1+i) e^{i\alpha (1+i)^2} = (1+i) e^{i\alpha (-2i)} = (1+i) e^{-2\alpha}$$

$$\text{so } 2\pi i f(z_0) = 2\pi i (1+i) e^{-2\alpha}$$

$$= 2\pi e^{-2\alpha} (i-1)$$

$$\text{so } \oint_{\Gamma} \frac{f(z)}{(z - [1+i])} dz = 2\pi e^{-2\alpha} (i-1)$$

Question (3) (20 Points). Let $\beta \in \mathbb{R}$ satisfy $|\beta| > 1$

Part A (10 Points). Show that

$$\operatorname{Re} \left[\frac{1}{\beta + e^{i\theta}} \right] = \frac{\beta + \cos \theta}{\beta^2 + 2\beta \cos \theta + 1}$$

where θ is the usual "angle parameter".

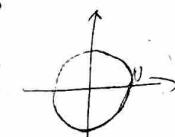
$$\frac{1}{\beta + e^{i\theta}} = \frac{1}{(\beta + \cos \theta) + i \sin \theta} = \frac{(\beta + \cos \theta) - i \sin \theta}{(\beta + \cos \theta)^2 + \sin^2 \theta} = \frac{(\beta + \cos \theta) - i \sin \theta}{\beta^2 + 2\beta \cos \theta + 1}$$

$$\text{So } \operatorname{Re} \left[\frac{1}{\beta + e^{i\theta}} \right] = \frac{\beta + \cos \theta}{\beta^2 + 2\beta \cos \theta + 1}$$

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Part B (10 Points). Using your result from Part A of this problem compute, quickly and easily,

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \frac{\beta + \cos \theta}{\beta^2 + 2\beta \cos \theta + 1} d\theta.$$



$$\int_0^{2\pi} \frac{\beta + \cos \theta}{\beta^2 + 2\beta \cos \theta + 1} d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} \operatorname{Re} \left[\frac{1}{\beta + e^{i\theta}} \right] d\theta = \operatorname{Re} \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1}{\beta + e^{i\theta}} d\theta$$

$$\text{Let } z = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta, \quad dz = (-\sin \theta + i \cos \theta) d\theta = i z d\theta$$

$$= \operatorname{Re} \oint \frac{1}{z + \beta} \frac{dz}{(z + \beta)} = \operatorname{Re} \oint \frac{1}{z(z + \beta)} = \operatorname{Re} \frac{-i}{z} \Big|_{z=0} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{on a circle} \\ \text{P include} \\ \text{origin} \end{array}$$

Use Cauchy Integral, because $\beta > 1$

$$\oint \frac{-i}{z(z + \beta)} = 2\pi i \frac{-i}{(0 + \beta)} = \frac{2\pi i(-i)}{\beta} = \frac{2\pi}{\beta}$$

$$\text{So } \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{\beta + \cos \theta}{\beta^2 + 2\beta \cos \theta + 1} d\theta = \frac{2\pi}{\beta} \quad \boxed{10}$$

Question (4) (25 Points). Let $L > 0$ denote a real number and consider the contour Γ_L which consists of two pieces, $\Gamma_L = \Gamma_{L_1} \cup \Gamma_{L_2}$, both of which are straight lines. The line Γ_{L_1} starts at the point $z = 1$ on the real axis and connects to the point $z = iL$ on the imaginary axis. The line Γ_{L_2} starts at $z = iL$ and goes straight down the imaginary axis till it hits the origin. Thus, in particular, Γ_L consists of two legs of a right triangle.

Part A (5 Points). Write a parametric description for the lines (contours) Γ_{L_1} and Γ_{L_2} .

$$\begin{aligned}\Gamma_{L_1} : z = 1 + t(iL - 1), \quad 0 \leq t \leq 1 \\ \Gamma_{L_2} : z = iL + t(-iL), \quad 0 \leq t \leq 1\end{aligned}$$

Part B (20 Points). Let $f(z) = (\cos z e^{-z^2})$. Show, regardless of the value of L (even if L is "large") that

$$\left| \int_{\Gamma_L} f(z) dz \right| \leq 1 \quad \frac{e^{-iz} + e^{iz}}{2} = \frac{e^{x+iy} + e^{x-iy}}{2e^x}$$

Hint: Consider the case $L \gg 1$ and draw a picture.

* Also (small) bonus for a better estimate than the above. But only do this if you have time to spare.*

$$f(z) = \cos z e^{-z^2} \text{ is analytic}$$

$$\begin{aligned}1-2x &= 0 \\ x &= \frac{1}{2} \quad \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{4}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\text{so } \int_{\Gamma_1 + \Gamma_2 + \Gamma_3} f(z) dz = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \left| \int_{\Gamma_L} f(z) dz \right| \leq \max |f(z)| \cdot |\Gamma_L| \\ &\text{so } \left| \int_{\Gamma_L} f(z) dz \right| = \left| \int_{\Gamma_3} f(z) dz \right| = \left| \int_{\Gamma_L} f(z) dz \right| = - \int_{\Gamma_3} f(z) dz \\ &\text{for } \left| \int_{\Gamma_3} f(z) dz \right| \quad |\Gamma_3| = 1 \\ &|f(z)| = |\cos z| |e^{-z^2}| \end{aligned}$$

$$|\cos z| \leq e^x, \quad |e^{-z^2}| = |e^{-(x^2-y^2+2ixy)}| = e^{-(x^2-y^2)}$$

$$|f(z)| = e^{x-(x^2-y^2)} \quad \text{in } \Gamma_3, y=0 \quad \text{so } |f(z)| = e^{x-x^2} \leq e^{\frac{x}{4}}$$

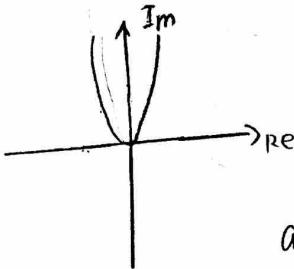
$$\text{so } \left| \int_{\Gamma_L} f(z) dz \right| = \left| \int_{\Gamma_3} f(z) dz \right| \leq |f(z)| |\Gamma_3| \leq e^{\frac{1}{4}}$$

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Question (5) (20 Points). A function $f(z)$ called $z^{1/4}$ has the following four properties:

- I) It agrees with the usual real $x^{1/4}$ on the positive real axis.
 - II) It is discontinuous on the positive imaginary axis (where the function is not defined).
 - III) Everywhere except for the origin (and the positive imaginary axis, where it is not defined) f is analytic.
 - IV) Everywhere except for the positive imaginary axis (where the function is not defined) it satisfies $f^4 = z$.
- Find an explicit formula for such a function e.g., using polar coordinates, and evaluate $f(-4)$ expressing your answer in the form $a + ib$ with a and b real.

First, we have $f(z) = r^{1/4} e^{i\frac{\theta+2m\pi}{4}}$



$$r \in \mathbb{R}, \theta \in [-\frac{3}{2}\pi + 2m\pi, \frac{1}{2}\pi + 2m\pi] \quad m=0, 1, 2, 3$$

when on the positive real axis,

angle should be $\theta + 2m\pi$ so that $f(z) = r^{1/4} e^{i\frac{\theta+2m\pi}{4}}$

$$\theta = 0, \dots, [-\frac{3}{2}\pi, \frac{1}{2}\pi], \frac{\theta+2m\pi}{4} = 2m\pi$$

$$\theta = 0, \dots, [\frac{1}{2}\pi, \frac{5}{2}\pi], \frac{\theta+2m\pi}{4} = 6m\pi$$

$\frac{\theta+2m\pi}{4}$ only if $m=0$ is possible

$$\theta = 0 \Rightarrow \theta = 0^\circ$$

so $\theta \in [-\frac{3}{2}\pi, \frac{1}{2}\pi]$ because $m=0$ is the only possibility

so $f(z) = r^{1/4} e^{i\frac{\theta}{4}}, \theta \in [-\frac{3}{2}\pi, \frac{1}{2}\pi]$

$$f(-4) = 4^{1/4} e^{-i\frac{\pi}{4}} = -4^{1/4}$$

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