

Lecture 37 General Residue Theorem

General Cauchy Thm: Ω a domain, f analytic on Ω , Γ a cycle in Ω and $\text{Ind}_{\Gamma}(a) = 0$ for all $a \in \mathbb{C} - \Omega$. Then

$$1) \int_{\Gamma} f dz = 0 \quad \Gamma \sim 0$$

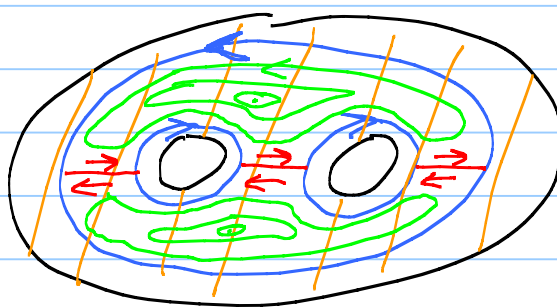
$$2) \text{Ind}_{\Gamma}(z_0) f(z_0) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\Gamma} \frac{f(z)}{z - z_0} dz, \quad z_0 \in \Omega - \text{tr}(\Gamma).$$

Defⁿ: Condition is called " Γ is homologous to zero."

Write $\Gamma \sim 0$ or $\Gamma \sim_{\Omega} 0$.

How to feel about it:

Add cuts to get closed curves homotopic to pts in Ω .



Remark: $\Gamma \sim 0$ for any cycle in a simply connected domain.

$a \notin \Omega$, $\int_{\gamma} \underbrace{\frac{1}{z-a}}_{\substack{\text{analytic} \\ \text{on s.c.} \\ \Omega}} dz = 0$ by Cauchy Thm.

Theorem: New improved Cauchy Thm for Ω a simply connected domain, f analytic on Ω , γ closed.

$$1) \int_{\gamma} f dz = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

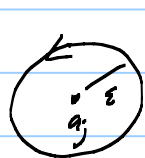
$$2) \text{Ind}_{\gamma}(z_0) f(z_0) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{f(z)}{z - z_0} dz \quad \leftarrow \text{New}$$

General Residue Thm: Ω a domain, Γ cycle ~ 0 in Ω ,
 f analytic on Ω except at finitely many **isolated sing.**
 $A = \{a_1, \dots, a_N\}$ in Ω . Suppose $A \cap \text{tr}(\Gamma) = \emptyset$.

Then
$$\int_{\Gamma} f dz = 2\pi i \sum_{n=1}^N \text{Ind}_{\Gamma}(a_n) \text{Res}_{a_n} f$$

Pf: $\tilde{\Omega} = \Omega - A$. Let $n_j = \text{Ind}_{\Gamma}(a_j)$.

Can find $\varepsilon > 0$ so small that $\overline{D_{\varepsilon}(a_i)} \cap \overline{D_{\varepsilon}(a_j)} \cap \text{tr}(\Gamma) = \emptyset$
 for $i \neq j$.



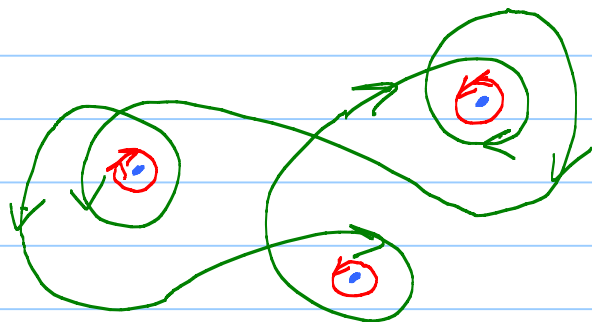
$C_j : z(t) = a_j + \varepsilon e^{it}, 0 \leq t \leq 2\pi$

$m C_j : z(t) = a_j + \varepsilon e^{i m t}, 0 \leq t \leq 2\pi$
 goes around m times.

Note
$$\int_{m C_j} f dz = m \int_{C_j} f dz = m 2\pi i \text{Res}_{a_j} f$$

Aha!
$$\tilde{\Gamma} = \Gamma \cup \left(\bigcup_{j=1}^N -n_j C_j \right)$$

Now $\tilde{\Gamma} \sim 0$ in $\tilde{\Omega}$.



f analytic on $\tilde{\Omega}$.

General Cauchy $\Rightarrow$

$$\int_{\tilde{\Gamma}} f dz = 0$$

$$\int_{\Gamma} f dz + \sum \int_{-n_j C_j} f dz = 0$$

$$\underbrace{-n_j \int_{C_j} f dz = (-\text{Ind}_{\Gamma}(a_j)) 2\pi i \text{Res}_{a_j} f} \quad \checkmark$$

Defⁿ: f is called meromorphic on a domain Ω if f is analytic on $\Omega - A$ where A is a discrete subset of Ω where f has poles.

Note: Discrete sets have no limit pts.

Remark: General Residue Thm extends to meromorphic f :

$$\int_{\Gamma} f dz = 2\pi i \sum_{a \in A} \text{Ind}_{\Gamma}(a) \text{Res}_a f$$

where the sum is finite because $\text{Ind}_{\Gamma}(a) = 0$ for all but finitely many a 's. [Because

$S = \{a \in \mathbb{C} : \text{Ind}_{\Gamma}(a) \neq 0\} \cup \text{tr}(\Gamma)$ is compact, $\subset \Omega$.

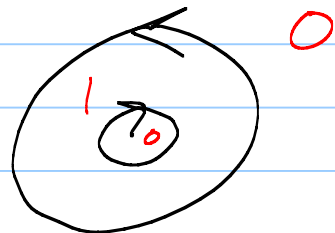
$A \cap S$ has to be finite to not have limit pts in Ω .]

Defⁿ: Γ "simple cycle" ; $\text{Ind}_{\Gamma}(a) = 0$
or
 $\text{Ind}_{\Gamma}(a) = 1$

Think: "Inside of Γ "

$$= \{z : \text{Ind}_{\Gamma}(z) = 1\}$$

"Outside" = ... 0



General Thms nicer for simple cycles.

Cauchy: f is analytic inside and on Γ .

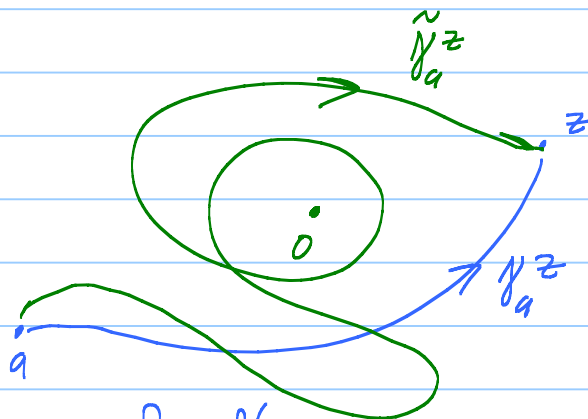
Then $\int_{\Gamma} f dz = 0$.

Residue: $\int_{\Gamma} f dz = 2\pi i \sum_{a \in A} \text{Res}_a f$ where $A = \text{sing. of } f \text{ inside } \Gamma$.

Argument Princ: $\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\Gamma} \frac{f'}{f} dz = \begin{pmatrix} \# \text{ zeroes of } f \\ \text{inside } \Gamma \\ \text{with mult} \end{pmatrix}$

or $= (\# \text{ zeroes}) - (\# \text{ poles})$ if poles allowed.

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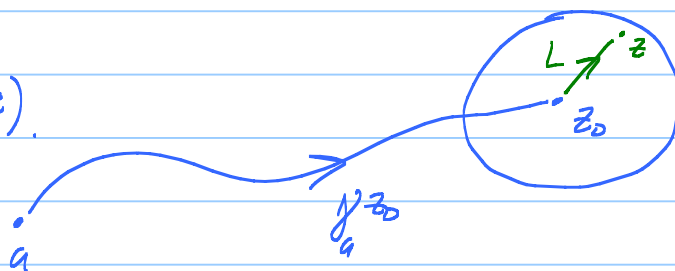
$\gamma = \gamma_a^z \cup (-\tilde{\gamma}_a^z)$

$F(z) = e^{\frac{1}{3} \int_{\gamma_a^z} \frac{f'}{f} dw}$

$e^{\frac{1}{3} \left(\int_{\gamma_a^z} + \int_{-\tilde{\gamma}_a^z} \right) \frac{f'}{f} dw}$
 $2\pi i \text{ Ind}_{\gamma}(o) \text{ Res}_o \frac{f'}{f}$

$= \frac{e^{\frac{1}{3} \int_{\gamma_a^z}}}{e^{\frac{1}{3} \int_{\tilde{\gamma}_a^z}}} \text{ want } = 1$

Note: Compute $F'(z)$.

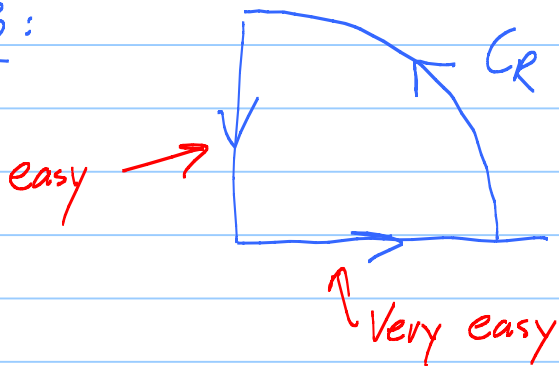


F' satisfies $F' = \frac{1}{3} \frac{f'}{f} F$.

Wish $F^3 = f$.

Consider $\frac{F^3}{f}$ and $\frac{d}{dz} \left(\frac{F^3}{f} \right)$.

Prob 3:



Increase in Arg P

$$\int_{C_R} \frac{f'}{f} dz = (\text{real part}) + i \int_{C_R} \arg f$$

$\xrightarrow{R \rightarrow \infty}$

don't care about this around the whole closed loop