

# Lecture 13 Complex logarithm fcn's, isolated singularities of analytic fcn's

Complex log fcn:  $W = \bar{z} = e^{x+iy} = \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ r}}{e^x} \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ e^{i\theta}}}{e^{iy}}$

See  $\underbrace{|w| = e^x}$ ,  $y \in \arg w$   
 $x = \ln|w|$

So  $z = \ln|w| + i\theta$  where  $\theta \in \arg w$

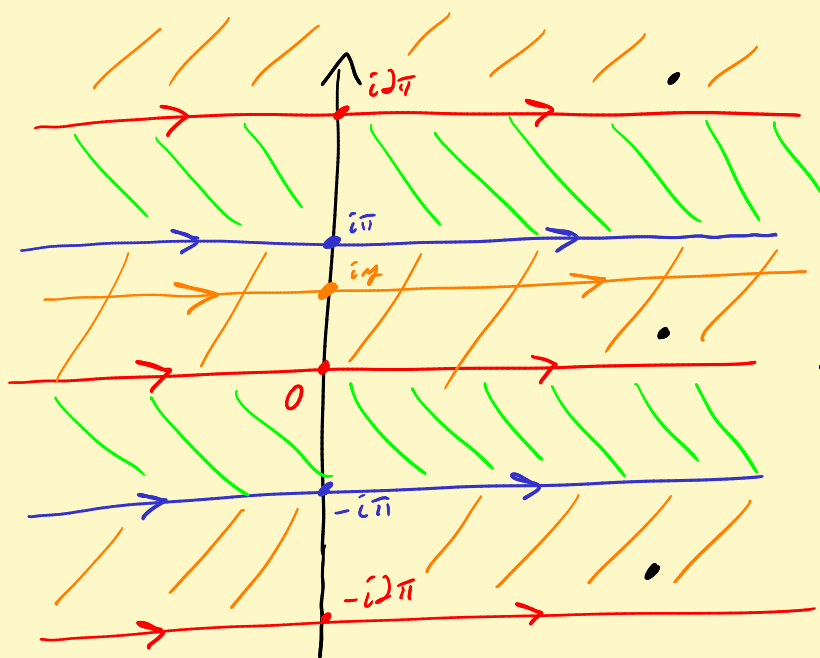
Def<sup>n</sup>:  $\text{Log } w = \ln|w| + i \text{Arg } w$   
 $\uparrow$  Principal log  $\uparrow$  Principle argument  $\theta$ ,  $-\pi < \theta \leq \pi$

$\log w = \{ \ln|w| + i\theta : \theta \in \arg w \}$

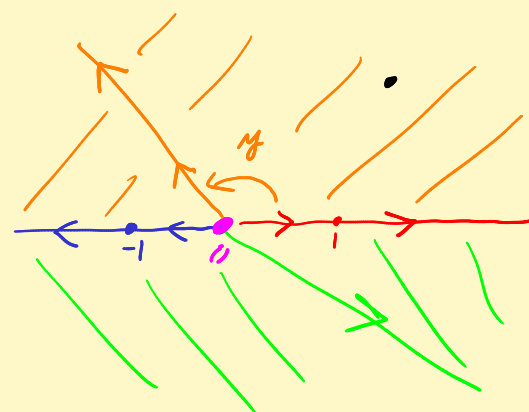
Graph of  $e^z$

$e^{x+iy} = e^x e^{iy}$

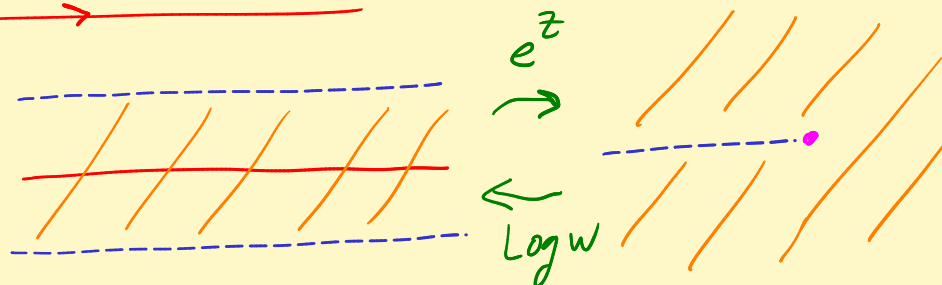
$-\infty < x < \infty$   
 $0 < e^x < \infty$



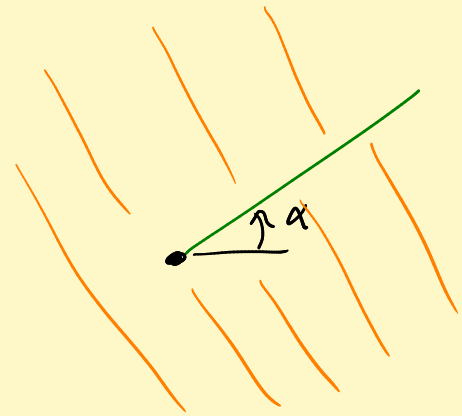
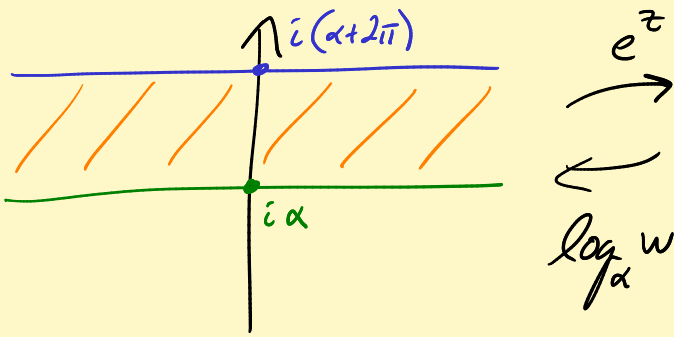
$e^z$   
 $\log?$



Principal Log:

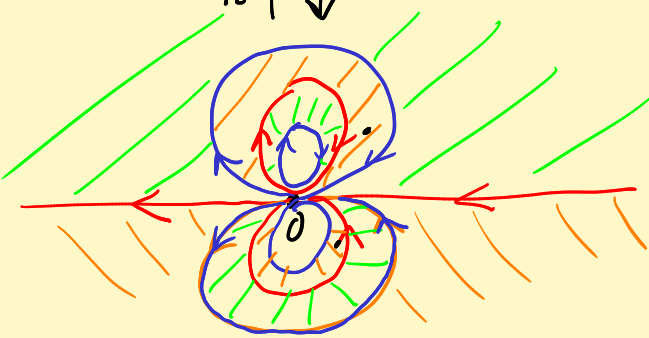
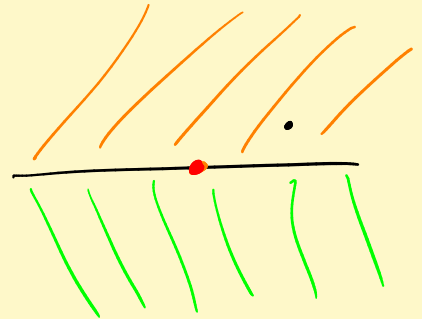
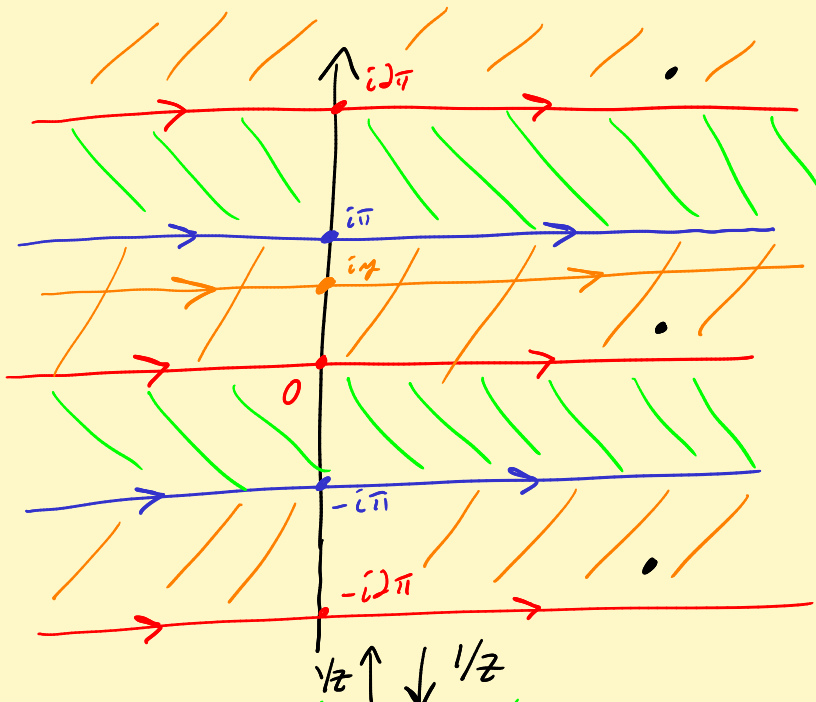


$$\text{Log } w : \mathbb{C} - (-\infty, 0] \xrightarrow[\text{analytic}]{1-1, \text{ onto}} \{z : -\pi < \text{Im } z < \pi\}^2$$



$$\log_\alpha w : \{\mathbb{C} - \{re^{i\alpha}\} : 0 < r < \infty\} \xrightarrow[\text{analytic}]{1-1, \text{ onto}} \text{horiz strip}$$

$e^{1/z}$  has a mind blowing singularity at  $z=0$ !

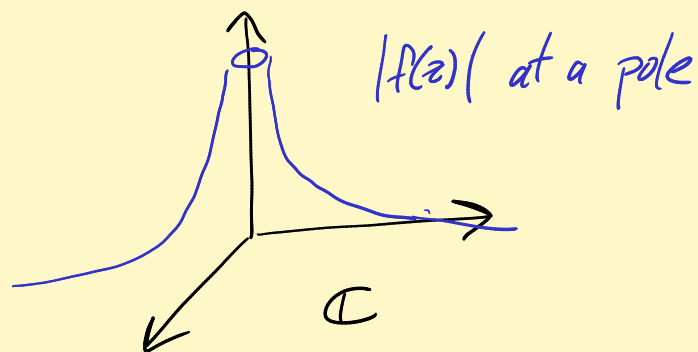


Pick small  $D_\varepsilon(0) - \{0\}$ .  
 $e^{1/z}$  maps  $D_\varepsilon(0) - \{0\}$   
 onto  $\mathbb{C} - \{0\}$  infinite-to-one!

0 is called an "essential singularity" of  $e^{1/z}$ .

Other types of behavior 1)  $\frac{1}{z^3}$  blows up at  $z=0$ ,  
meaning  $|\frac{1}{z^3}| = \frac{1}{|z|^3} \rightarrow \infty$  as  $z \rightarrow 0$ .

$\frac{1}{z^3}$  has a "pole" at  $z=0$ .



$$2) \frac{\sin z}{z} = \frac{z - \frac{z^3}{3!} + \frac{z^5}{5!} - \dots}{z} = \frac{\cancel{z} \left( 1 - \frac{z^2}{3!} + \frac{z^4}{5!} - \dots \right)}{\cancel{z}}$$

power series  
converges for  
same  $z$  that  
 $\sin z$  series does.

$$R = \infty.$$

$z=0$  is a "removable singularity"

Remove it:

$$h(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sin z}{z} & z \neq 0 \\ 1 & z = 0 \end{cases}$$

Big fact: These three behaviors are the only possible behaviors at an "isolated singularity" (meaning  $\exists \varepsilon > 0$  such that fcn is analytic on  $D_\varepsilon(z_0) - \{z_0\}$ ).

Def<sup>n</sup>:  $\lim_{z \rightarrow a} f(z) = \infty$  means: Given  $M > 0$ , there

is a  $\delta > 0$  such that  $|f(z)| > M$  when  $|z-a| < \delta$

and  $z \neq a$ . [  $f$  has an isolated sing at  $a$ ,  $D_p(a) - \{a\}$ .<sup>4</sup>  
 $0 < \delta < p$ . ]

$f$  has a pole at  $a$ .

Def<sup>n</sup>:  $f$  has an essential sing if, for every  $\varepsilon$   
with  $0 < \varepsilon < p$ ,  $f(D_\varepsilon(a) - \{a\})$  is dense  
in  $\mathbb{C}$  (meaning every pt in  $\mathbb{C}$  is a limit point  
of  $\{w : w = f(z) \text{ for some } z \in D_\varepsilon(a) - \{a\}\}$ ).

Goursat/Morera removable singularity thm. Suppose  $f$   
is continuous on  $\Omega$  and analytic on  $\Omega - \{a\}$ ,  
 $a \in \Omega$ . Then  $a$  is a removable sing for  $f$ .

Pf: Goursat  $\Rightarrow \int_{\Delta} f dz = 0$  for all  $\Delta$ 's in  $\Omega$ ,

Morera  $\Rightarrow f$  analytic on  $\Omega$ . ✓

Riemann removable singularity thm: Suppose  $f$  analytic  
on  $D_p(a) - \{a\}$  and bounded there (meaning  $\exists M > 0$   
such that  $|f(z)| < M$ ,  $z$  in set). Then  $a$  is a  
removable sing for  $f$ .

Way false  $\mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ :  $\sin \frac{1}{x}$

Pf: Define  $G(z) = \begin{cases} f(z)(z-a) & z \neq a \\ 0 & z = a \end{cases}$

Note:  $\lim_{z \rightarrow a} G(z) = 0$ . So  $G$  cont at  $z=a$ .

Goursat/Morera thm  $\Rightarrow G$  analytic on  $D_p(a)$ .

and  $G(a) = 0 \Rightarrow G(z) = \underbrace{G(a)}_0 + G'(a)(z-a) + \dots$   
 $= (z-a) \underbrace{\left[ G'(a) + \frac{G''(a)}{2!}(z-a) + \dots \right]}_{g(z) \text{ analytic}}$

Aha!  $\underbrace{\frac{G(z)}{z-a}}_{g(z)} = f(z), z \neq a$

Setting  $f(a) = g(a) = G'(a)$  makes  $f$  analytic on  $D_p(a)$ .

Remark: Books  $G(z) = \begin{cases} f(z)(z-a)^2 & z \neq a \\ 0 & z = a \end{cases}$

See  $G$  analytic on  $D_p(a)$ .  $G(a) = 0$   
 $G'(a) = 0$