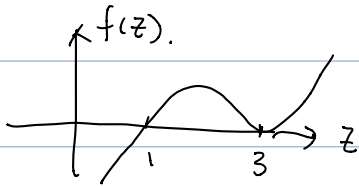


Today: Ch3 Stein. §1, §2.

- zero. pole.
- residue theorem.

Ex: • $f(z) = (z-1)(z-3)^2$ has zero at $z=1$ and $z=3$



order of zero: 1 2.

• $f(z) = \frac{1}{z-1} + \frac{1}{(z+2)^3}$ has pole at

order of pole: $\left(\frac{1}{(z-z_0)^{\# \text{order of the pole}}} \right)$

$z=1$

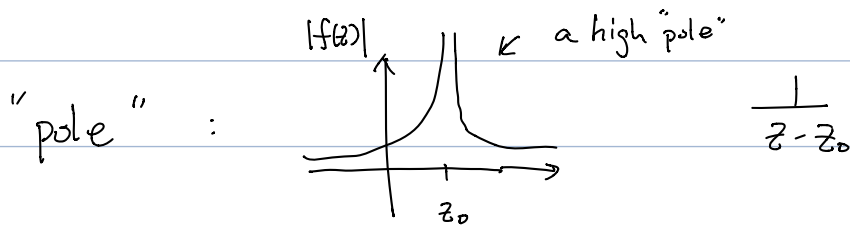
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$z=-2$

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• $f(z) = \frac{1}{(z-1)(z+2)^3}$ has the same pole structure

as pole.



• overview for this chapter:

• classify zero & pole.

• residue thm : residue of a function at a point z_0

is the coeff $f(z) = \dots + \frac{a_{-1}}{z-z_0} + a_0 + a_1(z-z_0) + \dots$

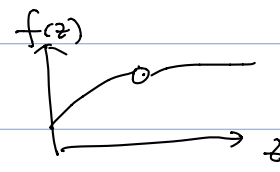
a_{-1}

• classification of isolated singularities (where value of the

function is undefined.)

• removable singularity.

• pole : near z_0 ,

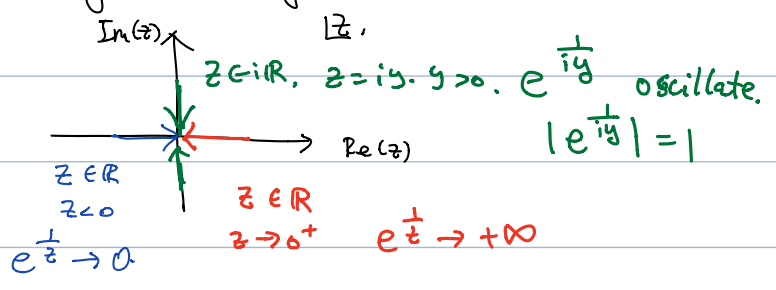


$$f(z) \sim \frac{g(z)}{(z-z_0)^n}$$

$g(z)$: hol'c near z_0

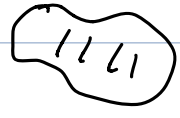
• essential singularity: e.g. $e^{\frac{1}{z}}$ near 0.

$$e^{\frac{1}{z}}$$



• Harmonic functions. Maximum Principle.

• Ex: $\text{Re}(f(z))$, $\text{Im}(f(z))$ are harmonic function, if $f(z) \neq 0$, $\log|f(z)|$ is also harmonic.



Ω maximum principle says:

harmonic function takes its max only at the boundary of Ω .

(-e.g. $u(x,y) = x^2 - y^2$ or $u(x) = x$).

• Today: §1: Say $f: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ is holomorphic function, and for $z_0 \in \Omega$, $f(z_0) = 0$.

Q: how to define the order of zero at z_0 ?

Ans: Do Taylor expansion at z_0 .

$$f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (z-z_0)^n = \underbrace{0}_{\neq} + a_m (z-z_0)^m + a_{m+1} (z-z_0)^{m+1} + \dots$$

look the first non-zero a_n . \underline{m} is the order of zero.

$$a_m = \frac{f^{(m)}(z_0)}{m!}$$

(1.1)

Thm: Suppose f is hol'c in a open connected set Ω ,
 f has zero z_0 in Ω , and f doesn't vanish identically
in Ω . Then there exist a nbhd $U \subset \Omega$, of z_0 ,
and a non-vanishing hol'c function g and a unique
positive integer n . s.t.

$$f(z) = (z-z_0)^n \cdot \underline{g(z)} \quad \forall z \in U.$$

Sketch of the proof:



① Do Taylor expansion at z_0 .

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= a_n \cdot (z-z_0)^n + a_{n+1} \cdot (z-z_0)^{n+1} + \dots \\ &\quad \uparrow \\ &\quad a_n \neq 0. \end{aligned} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{valid for} \\ |z-z_0| < r \end{array}$$

$$= (z-z_0)^n \cdot \left(a_n + a_{n+1}(z-z_0) + \dots \right)$$

$$= (z-z_0)^n \cdot \underline{g(z)}.$$

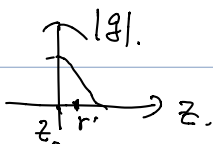
$$g(z): D_r(z_0) \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \quad \text{hol'c.}$$

② Shrink the radius r to r' , s.t.

$$g(z) \text{ is non-vanishing on } D_{r'}(z_0). \quad \text{"} U$$

This is always possible, since $|g(z_0)| = |a_n| > 0$

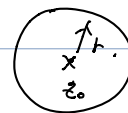
and $|g|: D_r(z_0) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a continuous function.



• pole: Let $z_0 \in \mathbb{C}$, a deleted nbhd of z_0 .

is an open disk, centered at z_0 , but removing the pt z_0 .

$$D_r^x(z_0) = \{ z \mid 0 < |z - z_0| < r \}$$



• $f(z)$ has an isolated singularity at z_0 , iff
 \exists a deleted nbhd $D_r^x(z_0)$, s.t. f is hol'c on $D_r^x(z_0)$.

Def'n: $f(z)$ has a pole at z_0 , if $\exists D_r^x(z_0)$, s.t.

① f is hol'c ^{and non-vanishing} on $D_r^x(z_0)$

② and the function
$$\frac{1}{f(z)} = F(z) = \begin{cases} 0 & z = z_0 \\ \frac{1}{f(z)} & z \in D_r^x(z_0) \end{cases}$$

is hol'c on $D_r(z_0)$.

Ex: $f = e^{\frac{1}{z}}$ on $D_1(z_0=0)$ is hol'c and non-vanishing on $D^x(z=0)$, but $\frac{1}{f}$ cannot be defined on $D_1(z_0)$

Thm (1.2): If f has a pole at $z_0 \in \Omega$, then, in a nbhd of z_0 , there is a hol'c non-vanishing function h and a unique positive integer n , such that

$$f(z) = \frac{h(z)}{(z - z_0)^n}$$

Pf: Consider the function $\frac{1}{f(z)}$, it is hol'c near z_0 .

and has a zero at z_0 , Apply the previous thm.

$$\frac{1}{f(z)} = (z - z_0)^n \cdot g(z), \quad g(z) \neq 0 \text{ for } z \in D_r(z_0)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(z) = \frac{1}{(z - z_0)^n} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{g(z)} \right) \quad \forall z \in D_r^x(z_0) \quad \#$$

$\stackrel{\text{hol'c}}{=} h(z), \quad h(z) \neq 0 \quad \forall z \in D_r(z_0)$

Def: n is the order of the pole at z_0 .

Thm (1.3): If $f(z)$ has a pole of order n at z_0 , then near z_0 , we have

$$f(z) = \underbrace{\frac{a_{-n}}{(z-z_0)^n} + \frac{a_{-n+1}}{(z-z_0)^{n-1}} + \dots + \frac{a_{-1}}{(z-z_0)}}_{\text{"principal part" of } f \text{ at } z_0} + \underbrace{G(z)}_{\text{"regular part"}}$$

blow up fastest

where $G(z)$ is hol'c near z_0 , $a_{-n} \neq 0$.

Pf: take $f(z) = \frac{h(z)}{(z-z_0)^n}$, Taylor expand $h(z)$ at z_0 .

Def: the coeff a_{-1} in the above expansion is to be residue of f at z_0 .

$$\int_{C_z(z_0)} f(z) \cdot dz = (2\pi i) \cdot (\text{res}_{z_0} f) \quad \dots \quad \text{baby form of residue theorem.}$$

Ex: $f(z) = \frac{e^z}{z-1}$ has a pole at $z=1$.

$\text{Res}_z f = ?$

$$f(z) = \frac{\text{Taylor series of } e^z \text{ at } z=1}{z-1}$$

$$e^z = e^{(z-1)} \cdot e^1$$

$$= e^1 \cdot \left(1 + (z-1) + \frac{(z-1)^2}{2!} + \dots \right)$$

$$f(z) = \frac{e \cdot \left(1 + (z-1) + \frac{(z-1)^2}{2!} + \dots \right)}{(z-1)}$$

$$= \frac{e}{z-1} + \underbrace{e + \frac{e \cdot (z-1)}{2!} + \dots}_{G(z) \text{ : regular part}}$$

$$\text{Res}_{z=1} f = e.$$

In general, if $f(z) = \frac{h(z)}{z-z_0}$ $h(z)$ non-vanishing near z_0 ,
then

$$\boxed{\text{Res}_{z_0} f = h(z_0)}$$

holds if f has a simple pole,
or pole of order 1.

• Ex 2: $f(z) = \frac{1}{(z-1)(z-2)}$

$$\text{Res}_{z=1} f = h(1) = \frac{1}{1-2} = (-1)$$

$$f(z) = \frac{h(z)}{(z-1)}, \quad h(z) = \frac{1}{z-2}$$

($h(z)$ is well defined and non-vanishing near $z=1$)

$$\text{Res}_{z=2} f = g(1) = \frac{1}{2-1} = (1)$$

near $z=2$, $f(z) = \frac{g(z)}{z-2}$

where $g(z) = \frac{1}{z-1}$, well-defined, non-vanishing near $z=2$.

(Ex fun: $f(z) = \frac{1}{(z-a)(z-b)(z-c)}$)

check: $\text{Res}_a f + \text{Res}_b f + \text{Res}_c f = 0$.

In general:

Thm: if f has an order n pole, ^{at z_0} i.e.

$$f(z) = \frac{h(z)}{(z-z_0)^n} \quad \text{near } z_0.$$

and if $h(z) = h(z_0) + \frac{h'(z_0)}{1!} \cdot (z-z_0) + \dots + \frac{h^{(n-1)}(z_0)}{(n-1)!} (z-z_0)^{n-1} + \dots$

then $\text{Res}_{z_0} f = \frac{h^{(n-1)}(z_0)}{(n-1)!} = \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \frac{1}{(n-1)!} \left(\frac{d}{dz} \right)^{n-1} \underbrace{(z-z_0)^n f(z)}_{h(z)}.$

Pf: plug in the Taylor expansion of $h(z)$.

Ex: $f(z) = \frac{e^z}{(z-5)^2}$ let $h(z) = e^z$,
 $n=2, \quad z_0=5$

$$h'(z_0) = (e^z)'|_{z=5} = e^z|_{z=5} = e^5.$$

$$\text{Res}_5 f(z) = \frac{h'(z_0)}{(2-1)!} = \frac{e^5}{1} = e^5.$$

Baby form of Residue Thm:

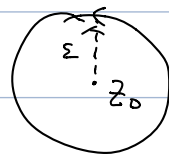
$$\int_{C_\varepsilon(z_0)} f(z) dz$$

$C_\varepsilon(z_0)$

$$= \int_{C_\varepsilon(z_0)} \frac{a-n}{(z-z_0)^n} dz + \dots + \int_{C_\varepsilon(z_0)} \frac{a-2}{(z-z_0)^2} dz$$

Expand $f(z)$ in $D_\varepsilon(z_0)$ as

$$f(z) = \frac{a-n}{(z-z_0)^n} + \dots + \frac{a-1}{(z-z_0)} + G(z).$$



$$+ \left(\frac{a-1}{z-z_0} \cdot dz \right) + G(z) dz.$$

$C_{z_0}(z_0)$

$C_{\varepsilon}(z_0)$

by Cauchy thm.

define $u = z - z_0$ $du = dz$

$$\int_{C_{z_0}(z_0)} \frac{1}{(z-z_0)^k} dz = \int_{|u|=\varepsilon} \frac{1}{u^k} du. \quad u = e^{i\theta} \cdot \varepsilon$$

$$= \int_{\theta=0}^{2\pi} \frac{1}{(\varepsilon e^{i\theta})^k} \varepsilon \cdot e^{i\theta} \cdot i \cdot d\theta$$

$$= \int_{\theta=0}^{2\pi} \frac{i}{\varepsilon^{k-1} \cdot \underbrace{e^{i\theta(k-1)}}} d\theta$$

$$= \begin{cases} i \cdot 2\pi & k=1 \\ 0 & k \neq 1 \end{cases}$$

$$= a_{-1} \cdot (2\pi i)$$