

Lesson 31

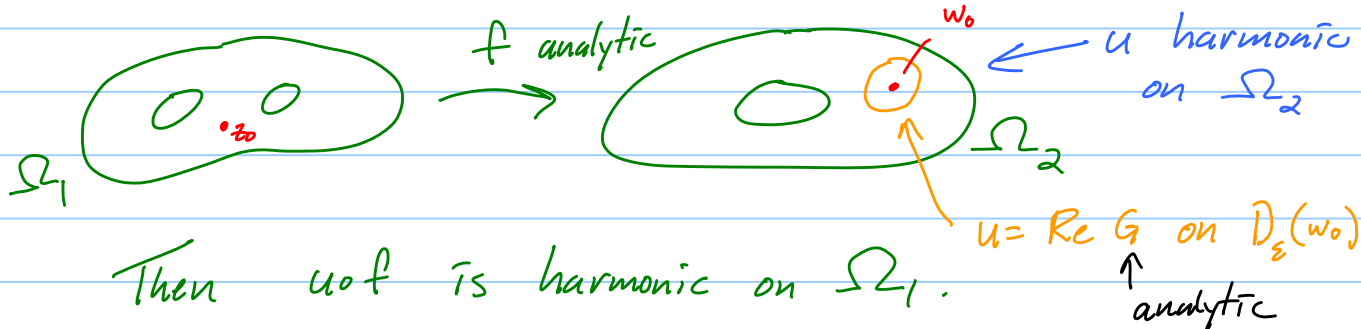
Harmonic functions composed with analytic functions are harmonic too (7.1)

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Exam 2 in class
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Fact: u is harmonic on a domain if and only if it is locally the real part of an analytic function, i.e., for each z_0 in the domain Ω , there is a disc $D_r(z_0) \subset \Omega$ and an analytic fcn f on $D_r(z_0)$ such that $u = \operatorname{Re} f$ on $D_r(z_0)$.

Note: If Ω is simply connected, can $u = \operatorname{Re} f$ with f analytic on Ω .

EX: $\ln|z|$ on $\{z: 1 < |z| < 2\}$ has no harm conj on annulus.

Thm: 
Then $u \circ f$ is harmonic on Ω_1 .

Why: Near z_0 $u(f(z)) = \operatorname{Re} \underbrace{G \circ f}_{\text{analytic near } z_0}$

The hard way: $\Delta(u \circ f) = \dots$ chain rule
plus C-R Eqs $\dots \equiv 0$

Review: Formulas for residues. f, g analytic

$$1) \operatorname{Res}_{z_0} \frac{f(z)}{z-z_0} = f(z_0)$$

$$\frac{a_0 + a_1(z-z_0) + \dots}{z-z_0} = \frac{\boxed{a_0}}{z-z_0} + \text{power series} = \frac{f(z_0)}{z-z_0} + \text{power series}$$

Remark: Cauchy Integral Formula

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{f(z)}{z-z_0} dz = f(z_0) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \left[2\pi i \operatorname{Res}_{z_0} \frac{f(z)}{z-z_0} \right] \checkmark$$

2) If g has simple zero at z_0 , then

$$\operatorname{Res}_{z_0} \frac{f}{g} = \frac{f(z_0)}{g'(z_0)}$$

EX: $\operatorname{Res}_{\underbrace{e^{i\pi/4}}_{\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + i\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}}} \frac{e^{2z}}{z^4 + 1}$ $\leftarrow f(z) = e^{2z}$ $\leftarrow g(z) = z^4 + 1$ $g(e^{i\pi/4}) = 0$
 $g'(z) = 4z^3$ $g'(e^{i\pi/4}) = 4(e^{i\pi/4})^3$ $\uparrow$ not zero

$$\operatorname{Res} = \frac{e^{(\sqrt{2} + i\sqrt{2})}}{4 e^{i3\pi/4}}$$

I hate formula in box on p. 310:

Thm 1: If f has a pole of order m at z_0 , then

$$\operatorname{Res}_{z_0} f = \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \frac{1}{(m-1)!} \frac{d^{m-1}}{dz^{m-1}} \left[(z-z_0)^m f(z) \right]$$

True, but better to manipulate power series.

EX: Suppose f, g analytic and g has a double zero at z_0 .

$$\operatorname{Res}_{z_0} \frac{f}{g} = ?$$

$$g(z_0) = 0, \quad g'(z_0) = 0, \quad \text{but } g''(z_0) \neq 0.$$

$$g(z) = \underbrace{a_2}_{a_2 = \frac{g''(z_0)}{2!}} (z-z_0)^2 + \underbrace{a_3}_{a_3 = \frac{g'''(z_0)}{3!}} (z-z_0)^3 + \dots = (z-z_0)^2 \underbrace{\left[a_2 + a_3(z-z_0) + \dots \right]}_{G(z) \text{ analytic}}$$

Notice that

$$\begin{aligned} G(z_0) &= a_2 \neq 0 \\ G'(z_0) &= a_3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{f(z)}{g(z)} = \frac{f(z)}{(z-z_0)^2 G(z)} = \frac{1}{(z-z_0)^2} \left[\underbrace{\frac{f(z)}{G(z)}}_{\substack{H(z) \\ A_0 + A_1(z-z_0) + \dots}} \right] \leftarrow \text{analytic near } z_0$$

$$= \frac{A_0}{(z-z_0)^2} + \frac{A_1}{(z-z_0)} + \underbrace{A_2 + \dots}_{\text{power series}}$$

Ans: $\text{Res}_{z_0} \frac{f}{g} = A_1 = \frac{H'(z_0)}{1!} = \frac{d}{dz} \left[\frac{f}{g} \right] \Big|_{z_0}$

$$= \frac{f'(z_0) \overbrace{g(z_0)}^{a_2} - \overbrace{g'(z_0)}^{a_3} f(z_0)}{g(z_0)^2}$$

$$= \frac{f'(z_0) \cdot \frac{1}{2} g''(z_0) - \frac{1}{6} g'''(z_0) f(z_0)}{\left[\frac{1}{2} g''(z_0) \right]^2}$$

EX:

$$\text{Res}_i \frac{\text{Log } z}{(z^2+1)^2}$$

← don't memorize or use

$$\frac{\text{Log } z}{(z-i)^2 (z+i)^2} = \frac{1}{(z-i)^2} \left[\frac{\overbrace{\text{Log } z}^{H(z)}}{(z+i)^2} \right] \leftarrow \begin{array}{l} \text{analytic} \\ \text{near } i \end{array}$$

$A_0 + A_1(z-i) + \dots$

$$= \frac{A_0}{(z-i)^2} + \frac{A_1}{z-i} + \underbrace{A_2 + \dots}_{\text{power series}}$$

$$\text{Res}_i = A_1 = \frac{H'(i)}{1!} = \frac{d}{dz} \left[\frac{\text{Log } z}{(z+i)^2} \right] \Big|_{z=i}$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{1}{z} \right) (z+i)^2 - 2(z+i) \text{Log } z}{[(z+i)^2]^2} \Big|_{z=i}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Log } i &= \text{Ln}|i| + i \text{Arg } i \\ &= 0 + i \frac{\pi}{2} \end{aligned}$$

Prob: Suppose f is entire and f misses $[-1, 1]$. Show f must be constant.

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Hint: f entire. Then $f(1/z)$ has an isolated singularity at $z=0$!

If sing is essential, then f plasters all of $\mathbb{C}$, with perhaps one exception. $\nRightarrow$ Not ess.

If sing removable, then $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} f(1/z) = a_0$.

Then $\lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} f(z) = a_0$. Aha! That makes f bounded entire.
So $f \equiv c = a_0$

If sing is a pole, then $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} f(1/z) = \infty$.

f has a pole at infinity

Claim: f must be a poly.

Fact: An entire fcn with a pole at ∞ must be a poly.

Fund Thm Alg $\Rightarrow$ polys don't miss any values in $\mathbb{C}$.
So $f \neq$ poly.

Pf of claim: $f(z) = \sum_0^{\infty} a_n z^n$

$$f(1/z) = \sum_0^{\infty} a_n \frac{1}{z^n} \xleftarrow{\text{pole!}} \Rightarrow \sum_0^N a_n \frac{1}{z^n}$$

$$\text{Aha! } f(z) = \sum_0^N a_n z^n = \text{poly.}$$

Jukovsky map:

