

Lesson 30

Argument Principle & Rouché's Thm

28, 29, 30 due Wed.

$$\operatorname{Res}_{z_0} \frac{f'(z)}{f(z)} = \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{order of the zero} \\ \text{of } f \text{ at } z_0 \end{array} \right) \quad \text{or} \quad - \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{order of the} \\ \text{pole of } f \text{ at } z_0 \end{array} \right)$$

Why: $f(z) = a_N (z-z_0)^N + \dots = (z-z_0)^N \underbrace{\left[a_N + a_{N+1}(z-z_0) + \dots \right]}_{F(z) \leftarrow F(z_0) = a_N \neq 0}$

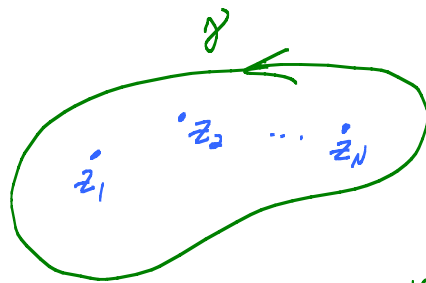
$$f'(z) = N(z-z_0)^{N-1} F(z) + (z-z_0)^N F'(z)$$

So $\frac{f'(z)}{f(z)} = \underbrace{\frac{N}{z-z_0}}_{\text{Princ. Part}} + \underbrace{\frac{F'(z)}{F(z)}}_{\text{analytic near } z_0}$

(Note: N is circled in red with an arrow pointing to it labeled "Res!")

Observe: Works at a pole with $-N$ in place of N !

Argument Principle:



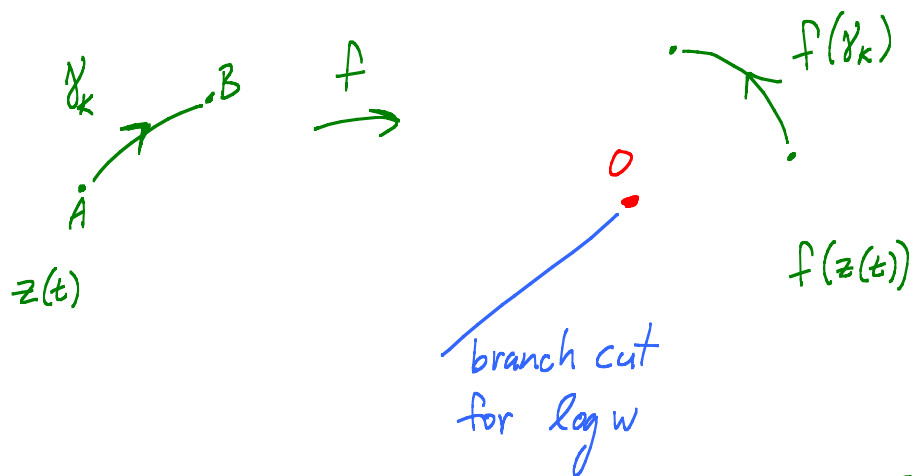
f analytic inside and on a simple closed curve γ , non-vanishing on γ , with (finitely) many zeroes of mult. m_k at z_k , $k=1, \dots, N$.

Then $\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{f'}{f} dz = \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{Total number of zeroes} \\ \text{of } f \text{ inside } \gamma \\ \text{counted with multiplicity} \end{array} \right) = \sum_{k=1}^N m_k$

Remark: Can allow poles inside too. Get

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{f'}{f} dz = \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{Total} \\ \# \\ \text{zeroes} \end{array} \right) - \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{Total} \\ \# \\ \text{poles} \end{array} \right) \leftarrow \text{counted with mult.}$$

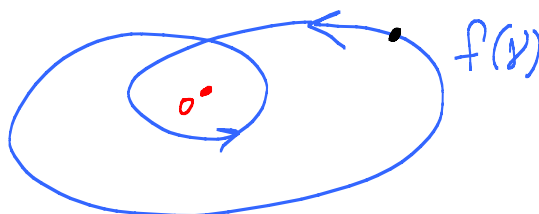
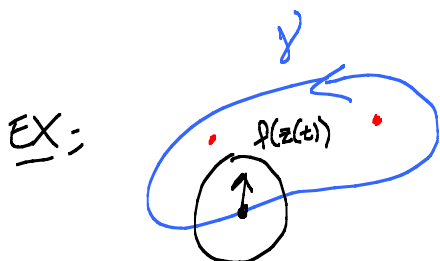
Why "Argument" princ? $\frac{f'(z)}{f(z)} \stackrel{?}{=} \frac{d}{dz}(\log f)$ yes.



$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } \int_{\gamma_k} \frac{f'}{f} dz &= \int_{\gamma_k} \frac{d}{dz}(\log f) dz = \log f \Big|_A^B \\ &= (\ln |f(B)| + i \arg f(B)) - (\ln |f(A)| + i \arg f(A)) \\ &= (\ln |f(B)| - \ln |f(A)|) + i \Delta \arg f \Big|_A^B \end{aligned}$$

Aha! Add up γ_k 's
going around γ ,
Get pairwise cancellation.
First last cancel too.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Improved version: } \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{f'}{f} dz &= \left(\frac{\text{Total } \# \text{ zeroes}}{\text{}} \right) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} i \Delta_{\gamma} \arg f(z) \\ &= \left(\# \text{ times } f(z) \text{ spins around the origin} \right) \end{aligned}$$



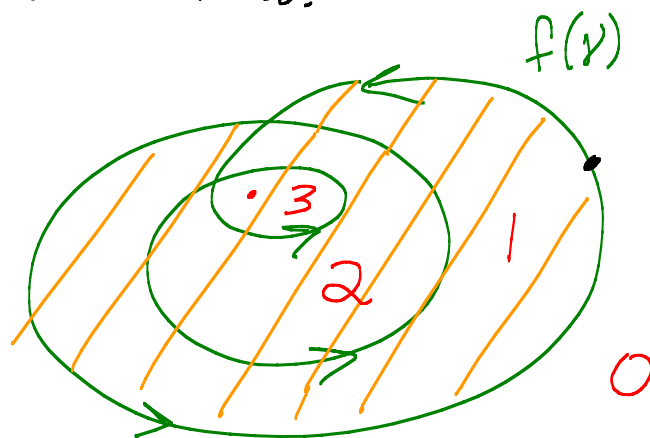
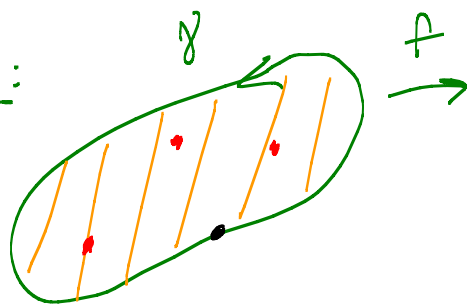
Spin around
twice.
 f has two zeroes
inside γ .

Possible: 2 separate simple zeroes or one double zero. (no poles) assumed

Great fact: Replace $\frac{f'(z)}{f(z)}$ by $\frac{f'(z)}{\underbrace{f(z)-w_0}_{F(z)}} = \frac{F'(z)}{F(z)}$

Def^M: " $f(z)=w_0$ with mult m at z_0 " means
 $f(z)-w_0$ has a zero of mult m at z_0 .

Picture:



Consequence: Open mapping theorem: If f is a non-constant analytic function, the f maps open sets to open sets!



Shrink ϵ so that
 z_0 is only possible
 zero of $f(z)-f(z_0)$
 inside C_ϵ



Everything inside
 small disc about
 w_0 gets hit
 (same # times).

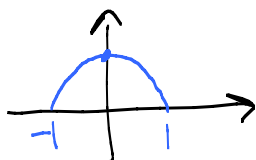
Way false $\mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$:

$$h(t) = 1-t^2$$

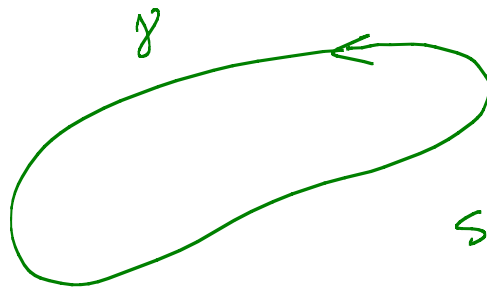
$$h: (-1, 1) \rightarrow (0, 1]$$

↑
open

↑
not open



Rouché's Theorem:

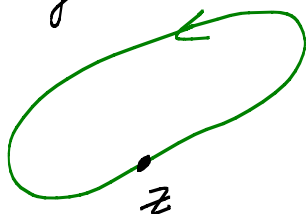


f and h analytic
inside and on
simple (counterclockwise)
curve γ .

If $|h(z)| < |f(z)|$ along γ , then

f and $f+h$ have same # zeroes inside γ
(counted with mult.).

Feeling:



0
↑
telephone
pole

• $f(z) = \text{man}$
↓ $h(z) \quad |h| = \text{leash}$
• $f(z) + h(z) = \text{dog}$

Hyp: leash length $<$ dist of man to pole.

Dog has to go around pole same # times as man.

Arg Princ $\Rightarrow f$ and $f+h$ have same # zeroes!