

# Four kinds of definite integrals

$$1. \int_0^{2\pi} F(\cos \theta, \sin \theta) d\theta$$

$$\text{Set } z = e^{i\theta}$$

$$\rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{z + z^{-1}}{2} \quad \sin \theta = \frac{z - z^{-1}}{2i}$$

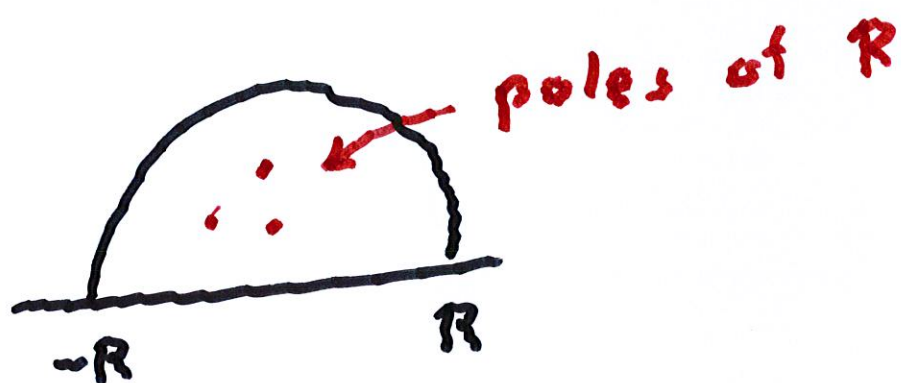
$$\text{and } d\theta = \frac{dz}{iz}$$

2.  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} R(x) dx$ , where  $R(x) = \frac{P(x)}{Q(x)}$

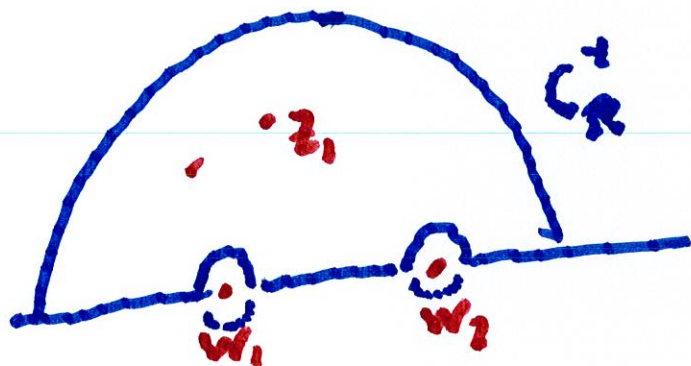
and  $\deg P \leq \deg Q - 2$

and there are no poles of

$R(x)$  on the real line.



3 poles on real line



$$\int_{\gamma_R} R(x) dx = \frac{1}{2} 2\pi i \sum \text{Res}_{w_j} R(z)$$

$$+ 2\pi i \sum_{z_j} \text{Res}_{z_j} R(z)$$

Need  $\deg P \leq \deg Q - 2$

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$$4. \int R(x) \sin x \quad \text{or} \quad \int R(x) (1 - \cos x) dx$$

$$\deg P \leq \deg Q - 1$$

Convert  $\sin x$  to  $e^{ix}$  etc.

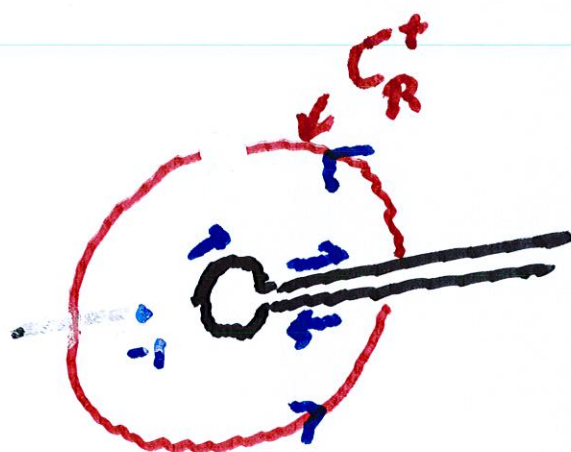
Use this path



$C_p$

$$e^{iz} = e^{i(x+iy)} = e^{ix} e^{-y}$$

5. Integrate along a branch cut.



For  $z^b$ , use that

$$z^b R(z) = C_b z^b R(z)$$

lower  
edge

upper edge.

$$z^{-a} = e^{-a \log z}$$

$$\int_0^{\infty} \frac{x^{-a}}{1+x}$$

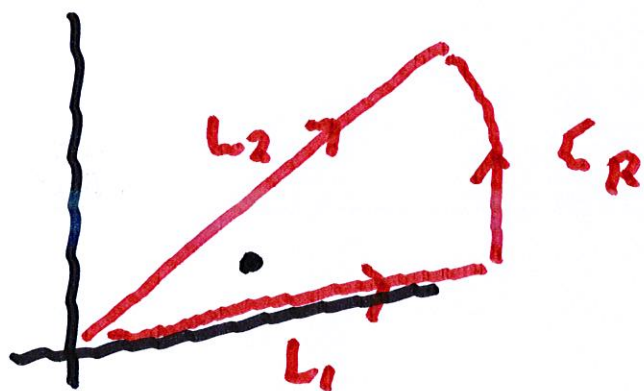
$$\log z = e^{-a(\log r + i\theta)}$$

$$e^{-a i 2\pi} = e^{-a \log z} e^{-a i 2\pi}$$

Just 1 more definite integral.

$$\int_0^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x^n + 1}, \quad n \geq 2$$

Consider the path



Let the angle  
be  $\frac{2\pi i}{n}$

Then  $x^n + 1$  has a simple pole  
at  $z = e^{\frac{\pi i}{n}}$

The Residue formula implies

that

$$\int_{L_1} - \int_{L_2} + \int_{C_R} = 2\pi i \operatorname{Res}_{z_0} f(z)$$

where  $f(z) = \frac{1}{1+z^n}$

If  $g(z)$  has a simple pole at  $z_0$ , then the residue of

$$\frac{1}{g(z)} \text{ is } = \frac{1}{g'(z_0)}.$$



Setting  $g(z) = z^n + 1$ , then

$$\operatorname{Res}_{e^{\pi i/n}} \left( \frac{1}{z^n + 1} \right) = \frac{1}{n (e^{\pi i/n})^{n-1}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{n} e^{-\frac{\pi i}{n}}.$$

In the usual way,

$$\lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_{C_R} \frac{dz}{1+z^n} \rightarrow 0, \quad \text{since } n > 1.$$



With  $I = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{dz}{z^{n+1}}$ , then

$$I = \frac{2\pi i}{1 - e^{2\pi i/n}} \cdot e^{-\frac{\pi i}{n}}$$

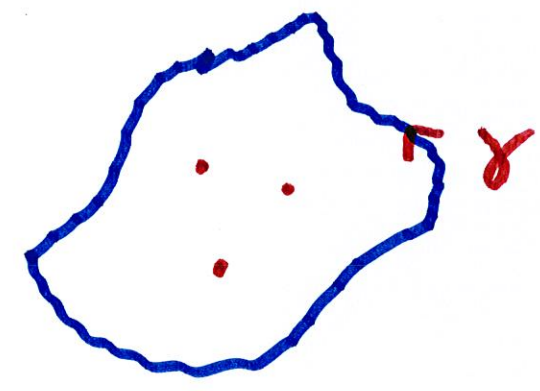
$$= \frac{2\pi i}{n} \cdot \left( e^{\frac{\pi i}{n}} - e^{-\frac{\pi i}{n}} \right)$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{n} \cdot \left( \frac{e^{\frac{\pi i}{n}} - e^{-\frac{\pi i}{n}}}{2i} \right)$$

$$= \frac{\frac{\pi}{n}}{\sin \frac{\pi}{n}}$$

Recall that if  $f(z)$  has poles at  $z_1, \dots, z_N$  in the interior of a simple closed curve, then

$$\int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = \sum_{k=1}^N \text{Res}_{z_k} f(z).$$



$$\text{If } f(z) = \sum_{k=n}^{\infty} c_k (z-z_0)^k \quad c_n \neq 0$$

has a zero at  $z_0$  (so  $n \geq 1$ )

or has a pole at  $z_0$ , (so  $n \leq -1$ )

then

$$\frac{f'(z)}{f(z)} = \frac{c_n n (z-z_0)^{n-1} + \dots}{c_n (z-z_0)^n + \dots}$$

$$= \frac{n}{z-z_0} + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} d_k (z-z_0)^k$$

Thus,  $\frac{f'(z)}{f(z)}$  has a

simple pole at  $z$  with

$$\text{residue} = n_k$$

Thus the Residue Formula

implies

$$\oint_{\gamma} \frac{f'(z) dz}{f(z)}$$

$$= 2\pi i \left( \begin{array}{l} \text{Number of Zeros} \\ - \text{Number of Poles} \end{array} \right)$$

# Rouche's Thm.

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Suppose that  $f$  and  $g$  are

holomorphic in a neighborhood

of  $\gamma$  and its interior, and

that  $|f(z)| > |g(z)|$  for all  $z$  in  $\gamma$ .

Then  $f$  and  $f+g$  have the

same number of zeros inside  $\gamma$ .

Pf. For  $t \in [0, 1]$ , define

$$f_t(z) = f(z) + t g(z)$$

so  $f_0(z) = f(z)$  and

$$f_1(z) = f(z) + g(z)$$

Let  $n_t$  be the number of

zeros of  $f_t$ , counting multiplicities

Note that  $f_t(z) \neq 0$  on  $\gamma$ ,

since  $|f| > |g|$  on  $\gamma$ .

Note also that

$$n_t = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{f_t'(z)}{f_t(z)} dz.$$

Since  $f_t$  is jointly continuous

in  $Z$  (in  $\mathcal{Y}$ ) and  $t$ ,

which implies that  $n_t$  is a

continuous function in  $t$ . Since

$n_t$  is integer-valued, it

follows that  $n_t = n_0$  for

all  $t \in [a, b]$ . Hence

$n_1 = n_0 \Rightarrow f+g$  and  $f$  have

the same number of zeros.



Ex. Let  $P(z) = z^8 - 5z^3 + z - 2$

How many roots of  $P$  are in

the unit circle  $C_1$ ?

Set  $f(z) = -5z^5$

and  $g(z) = z^8 + z - 2$ .

Clearly  $|g| < |f|$  on  $C_1$ .

Since number of roots of

$f$  inside  $C_1$  is  $= 3$ , it

Hence  $f$  and  $P$  have the same

number of zeros inside  $C$

(namely 3)

Ex. Find the number of zeros

of the polynomial in the

annulus  $1 < |z| < 2$ , if

$$P(z) = 2z^5 - 6z^2 + z + 1 = 0.$$

Set  $f(z) = 6z^2$ , then

set  $g(z) = 2z^5 + z + 1 = 0$ .

Clearly  $f$  has 2 roots in  $C_1$

~~and  $\{g(z) \neq 0\}$~~

$|g(z)| \leq 4$  on  $C_1$  and

$|f(z)| = 2$  on  $C_1$ .

$\therefore f+g$  has same number on in

$C_1$ , i.e. 2 roots.

Now set  $f(z) = 2z^5$

and  $g(z) = -6z^2 + z + 1$

Note that  $|g(z)| \leq 24 + 2 + 1$   
 $= 27$  on  $C_2$

and  $|f(z)| = 64$  on  $C_2$

$\therefore$  All 5 roots of  $f+g = P$

satisfy  $|z_k| < 2$ .

Thm. { Maximum Modulus }  
Principle

Suppose  $f \in A(\Omega)$ , and that

$$M = \sup_{z \in \Omega} \{ |f(z)|; z \in \Omega \}.$$

and that  $\Omega$  is  
connected

Then  $|f(z)| < M$

for all  $z \in \Omega$ .

Clearly  $|f(z)| \leq M$ .

If  $z_1 \in \Omega$  and  $f \not\equiv C$ , then

If the theorem is not true,

then  $\exists z_1$  so  $f(z_1) = M$ .

But the open mapping implies

that  $f(\Omega)$  must include an

open set of  $f(z_1)$ , which is

impossible.

## Schwartz Lemma:

Let  $f$  be holomorphic on the unit disc,  $|z| < 1$ . Assume that  $f(0) = 0$  and that

$$|f(z)| < 1 \quad \text{for } |z| < 1.$$

Then

$$(1) \quad |f(z)| \leq |z| \quad \text{for } |z| < 1$$

(2) If  $\exists z_0 \neq 0$  with

$$|f(z_0)| = |z_0|, \quad \text{then}$$

$$f(z) = \alpha z, \quad \text{all } z \in \mathbb{D},$$

where  $|\alpha| = 1$ .



$f$  has the expansion

$$f(z) = a_1 z + \dots$$

Then  $\frac{f(z)}{z}$  is holomorphic in  $D$ ,

and

$$(1) \quad \left| \frac{f(z)}{z} \right| < \frac{1}{n} \quad \text{for } |z| = r < 1$$

The Max. Mod. Thm implies

this inequality holds for all

$z \in \overline{D}_r$ . Let  $r \rightarrow 1$ , then (1) holds.

If  $\exists z_0$  so

$$|f(z_0)| = |z_0|,$$

then  $g(z) = \frac{f(z)}{z}$  satisfies

$$|g(z_0)| = 1, \text{ and } |g(z)| \leq 1$$

for all  $z \in D$

$\therefore g(z) = \alpha$  for some  $\alpha$

with  $|\alpha| = 1$

$$\therefore f(z) = \alpha z$$