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Q1 (4+6 pts) (a) State the Liouville Theorem.

Hypothesis:

IF $f(z)$ is entire, and $|f(z)|$ is bounded on $\mathbb{C}$

Conclusion:

THEN $f(z) \equiv \text{constant on } \mathbb{C}$

(b) Suppose that f, g are entire functions satisfying $\lim_{|z| \rightarrow \infty} |f(z) - g(z)| = 1$. Prove that there exists a constant $c \in \mathbb{C}$ such that

$$f(z) - g(z) = c, \quad \forall z \in \mathbb{C}.$$

Soln b) By assumption for $\varepsilon=1$, $\exists r \in \mathbb{R}_+$ s.t. $|z| \geq r \Rightarrow$
 $||f(z) - g(z)| - 1| < 1$

$$\Rightarrow |f(z) - g(z)| - 1 < 1 \Rightarrow |f(z) - g(z)| < 2 \quad \text{on } \{|z| \geq r\} \quad (1)$$

Also f, g entire $\Rightarrow |f|, |g|$ takes their max (MMP) values M_f, M_g on $\{|z| \leq r\}$

$$\Rightarrow |f(z) - g(z)| < |f(z)| + |g(z)| = M_f + M_g \quad \text{on } \{|z| \leq r\} \quad (2)$$

$$\text{Let } M = \max \{2, M_f + M_g\}.$$

$$\text{Then (1) \& (2) } \Rightarrow |f(z) - g(z)| < M \quad \forall z \in \mathbb{C}$$

$\therefore f(z) - g(z) \equiv \text{constant by Liouville Thm on } \mathbb{C}$

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Q2 (8+8+8+8 pts) Evaluate $\oint_C \frac{z+1}{z^2+1} dz$ for each curve C given below:

(In each part, write your supporting reasons explicitly!!!)

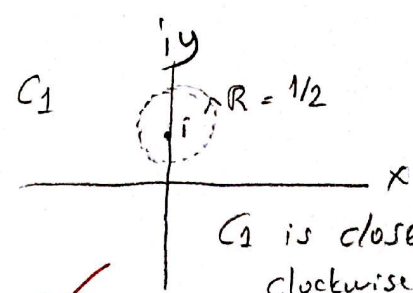
(a) $C = C_1: 2|z-i|=1$ with positive orientation.

by Cauchy Integral formula

$$\oint_{C_1} \frac{z+1}{(z-i)(z+i)} dz = 2\pi i f(i)$$

$f(z) = \frac{z+1}{z+i}$ is analytic on $\mathbb{C} \setminus \{-i\}$
is analytic on C_1

C_1 is closed clockwise direction

$$\oint_{C_1} \frac{f(z)}{(z-i)} dz = 2\pi i \cdot \frac{(i+1)}{2i} = i\pi + \pi$$


(b) $C = C_2: 2|z+i|=1$ with negative orientation.

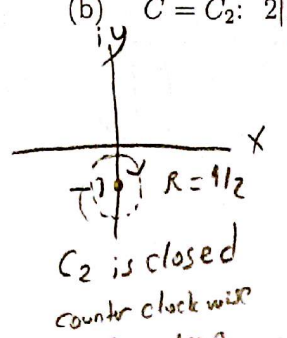
$f(z) = \frac{z+1}{z-i}$ is analytic on $\mathbb{C} \setminus \{i\}$
is analytic on C_2

$$\oint_C \frac{f(z)}{z+i} dz = - \oint_{C_2} \frac{f(z)}{z+i} dz = -2\pi i f(-i)$$

by Cauchy Integral formula

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

C_2 is closed counter clockwise direction



(c) $C = C_3: 2|z-1|=1$ with negative orientation.

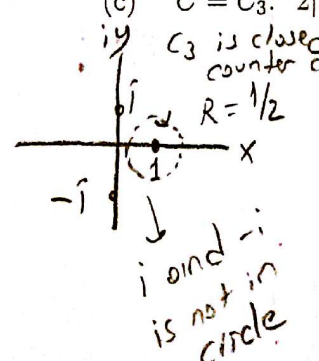
C_3 is closed counter clockwise direction

$$\oint_C \frac{z+1}{(z-i)(z+i)} dz = \oint_C \frac{z+1}{(z-i)(z+i)} dz = \frac{1}{2} \oint_C \frac{z+1}{z-i} dz$$

(by Cauchy Thm)

f is analytic on $\mathbb{C} \setminus \{i\}$
 $\mathbb{C} \setminus \{-i\}$
 f is analytic in C_3

i and $-i$ is not in circle



(d) $C = C_4: |z|=3$ with positive orientation.

C_4 is closed clockwise direction

$$\oint_{C_4} \frac{z+1}{(z-i)(z+i)} dz = \oint_{C_5} \frac{f_1(z)}{z-i} dz + \oint_{C_6} \frac{f_2(z)}{z+i} dz$$

$f_1(z) = \frac{z+1}{z+i}$ is analytic on $\mathbb{C} \setminus \{-i\}$
is analytic in C_5

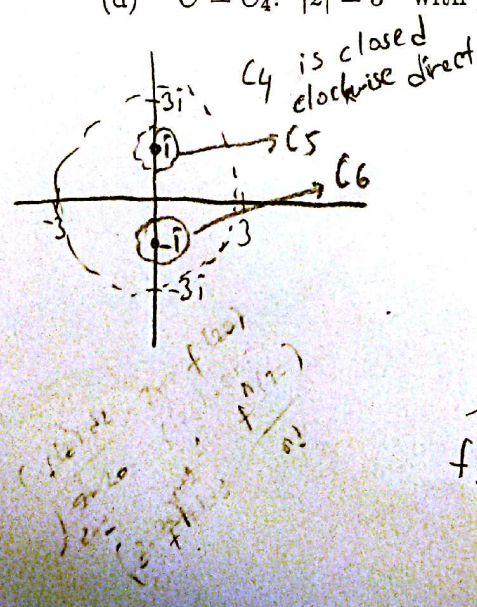
$f_2(z) = \frac{z+1}{z-i}$ is analytic on $\mathbb{C} \setminus \{i\}$
is analytic in C_6

$2\pi i \cdot f_1(i) + 2\pi i \cdot f_2(-i)$

$$2\pi i \cdot \frac{i+1}{2i} + 2\pi i \cdot \frac{1-i}{-2i}$$

$\pi i + \pi = \pi + \pi i = 2\pi i$

by Cauchy Integral formula



Q3 (4+4+4 pts) (a) State the Maximum Modulus Principle: (MMP)

IF $A \subset \mathbb{C}$ is open, connected and bounded,
 $f: \text{cl}(A) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ is analytic on A and
 continuous on $\text{cl}(A)$

THEN $|f(z)|$ takes its max. value on $\text{cl}(A)$
 at some point $z_0 \in \text{Bdry}(A)$

ALSO IF the max value $|f(z_0)|$ is attained
 also at an interior point $z_1 \in \text{int}(A)$

THEN f must be constant on $\text{cl}(A)$

(b) Let $f(z)$ be a nowhere-zero analytic function defined on a domain

$$D = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z + 2 - i| \leq 1\}.$$

Show that $|f(z)|$ attains its absolute minimum at a point z_0 on the boundary ∂D of D .

Consider $g(z) = \frac{1}{f(z)}$. Since $f(z) \neq 0 \forall z \in D$ & f is analytic on D ,

$g(z)$ is well-defined and analytic on D . So, by MMP,

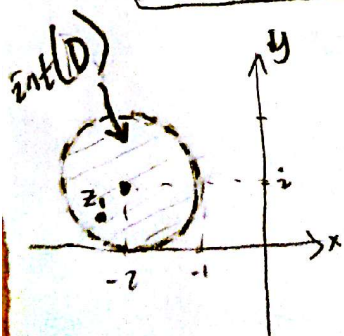
$$\exists z_0 \in \partial D \text{ s.t. } |g(z_0)| = \max \{|g(z)| : z \in D\}$$

$$\circ^\circ \quad |f(z_0)| = \left| \frac{1}{g(z_0)} \right| = \min \{|f(z)| : z \in D\}$$

(That is, $|f(z)|$ attains its abs. min value at a point $z_0 \in \partial D$.)

(*)

(c) For $f(z)$ in part (b), if we further assume that $f(-5/2 + i/2) = f(z)$ for all z satisfying $|z - (-2 + i)| = 1$, then show that f must be constant on D .



Note that the point $z_1 = -\frac{5}{2} + \frac{i}{2}$ satisfies

$$|z_1 - (-2 + i)| = \sqrt{\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \left(-\frac{i}{2}\right)^2} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4}} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} < 1$$

$\Rightarrow z_1 \in \text{int}(D)$. So, the given condition (*) implies that $g(z_1) = g(z_0) \Rightarrow |g(z)|$ takes its max value at an interior point $z_1 \in \text{int}(D)$.

$\Rightarrow g \equiv \text{constant on } D$ by MMP. $\circ^\circ f = \frac{1}{g} \equiv \text{constant on } D$

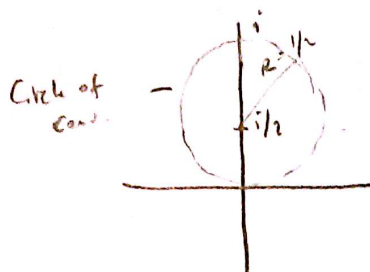
Q4 (8 pts) Find the center, radius and circle of convergence of the power series

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(2z-i)^{k+2}}{k+1}$$

Apply Ratio test; $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{(2z-i)^{n+3}}{n+2} \cdot \frac{n+1}{(2z-i)^{n+2}} \right| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| (2z-i) \cdot \frac{n+1}{n+2} \right| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{n+1}{n+2} |2z-i| \right)$

$= |2z-i| < 1$ (for being convergent.) $\Rightarrow 2|z - \frac{i}{2}| < 1$

$\Rightarrow |z - \frac{i}{2}| < \frac{1}{2}$



Circle of convergence.

Hence radius of conv. $R = \frac{1}{2}$

Thus $z_0 = \frac{i}{2}$ - center of conv.

Q5 (8 pts) Prove that $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{i^k}{k}$ is conditionally convergent.

Soln:

$\star = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{i^k}{k}$

First, $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k}$ is divergent by p-test ($p=1$) $\Rightarrow \star$ is not abs. convergent

Now, Call $a_k = \frac{i^k}{k}$ & let $\{S_n\}$ = The sequence of partial sums of $\star$.

Consider odd & even terms (separately):

$$a_1 + a_3 + a_5 + a_7 + \dots + a_{2n+1} = \sum_{k=0}^n a_{2k+1} = A_n$$

$$a_2 + a_4 + a_6 + a_8 + \dots + a_{2n} = \sum_{k=1}^n a_{2k} = B_n$$

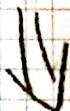
Observe that:

$$S_{2n+1} = A_n + B_n$$

$$S_{2n} = A_{n-1} + B_n$$



Both $\{S_{2n+1}\}$ and $\{S_{2n}\}$ are convergent



$\{S_n\}$ is convergent

$\star = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{i^k}{k} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{i^k}{k}$ is convergent $\square$

Also

$$a_{2k+1} = \frac{(-1)^k i}{2k+1}$$

$$a_{2k} = \frac{(-1)^k}{2k}$$



$\{A_n\}$ is convergent by AST
 $\{B_n\}$ is convergent by AST
 AST: Alternating Series Test

Note: $a_1 = i$

odd

$a_2 = -\frac{1}{2}$

even

indexed

$a_3 = -\frac{i}{3}$

terms

are

alternating

separately

$a_4 = \frac{1}{4}$

$a_5 = \frac{i}{5}$

$a_6 = -\frac{1}{6}$

$a_7 = -\frac{i}{7}$

$a_8 = \frac{1}{8}$