

Stuff:

- HW 4B due today
- Purple HW 5
- Office Hours Wednesday/Friday
- Halloween shirts for Michigan Math \$15 (walk around EH for info!)
- Walk 40 miles through rattlesnakes on Saturday
- For HW 4B #7a, prove  $f$  is constant on closed unit disk.

Lets go back to the FTC, first we'll do an example

**Example .0.1** (Application of ??)

Consider  $z \mapsto \frac{1}{z}$  on a connected open set  $D$  that contains the unit circle. Does this have a primitive on  $D$ ?

No! We know  $\int_{S^1} \frac{dz}{z} = 2\pi i$ , which would contradict that  $\int_{S^1} \frac{dz}{z} = F(1) - F(1) = 0$  if there were a primitive  $F$  for  $\frac{1}{z}$  on  $D$ .

**Theorem .0.1** (FTC II)

Let  $D \subseteq \mathbb{C}$  be an open connected star shaped (can be simply connected) subset of  $\mathbb{C}$ . Let  $f(z)$  be holomorphic on  $D$ . Then  $f(z)$  has a primitive on  $D$ , and the primitive is unique up to adding a constant. The primitive can be given as

$$F(z) = \int_{z_0}^z f(\zeta) d\zeta$$

for  $z \in D$ , where we take any available path.

*Proof.* Write  $f = u + iv$ . Consider the differential form  $u dx - v dy$ . Since  $f$  is holomorphic, Cauchy-Riemann implies that  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$ . Thus  $u dx - v dy$  is a closed differential form.

Since  $D$  is open, connected, and simply connected, we know  $u dx - v dy$  is exact on  $D$ . Thus there is a continuously differentiable function  $U$  on  $D$  so that  $dU = u dx - v dy$ . That is  $\frac{\partial U}{\partial x} = u$ ,  $\frac{\partial U}{\partial y} = -v$ .

Applying Cauchy-Riemann yields

$$\frac{\partial^2 U}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 U}{\partial y^2} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = 0.$$

Thus  $U$  is harmonic on  $D$ . Since  $D$  is simply connected, there exists a harmonic conjugate  $V$  for  $U$  on  $D$  such that  $G = U + iV$  is holomorphic on  $D$ .


We see that

$$G' = \frac{\partial U}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial U}{\partial x} - i \frac{\partial U}{\partial y} = u + iv = f.$$

Perfect! This shows that there is a primitive  $G$  for  $f$ . To show it is unique up to adding a constant, let  $H$  be another primitive, then  $G - H$  has derivative zero, so  $G - H$  is constant on  $D$ .

Finally, if  $z_0$  is any point of  $D$ , then by ?? we see that

$$F(z) := \int_{z_0}^z f(\zeta) d\zeta = G(z) - G(z_0).$$

Differentiating both sides yields  $F'(z) = G'(z) = f$ . This completes the proof of all the pieces given above of the theorem. 

### Corollary .0.2

Integrals of holomorphic functions in star-shaped regions are path-independent.

## 1. Cauchy's Theorem

Setting:  $f = u + iv$  is holomorphic on a connected open set  $D \subseteq \mathbb{C}$ . Then

$$f(z) dz = (u + iv)(dx + i dy) = (u + iv) dx + (-v + iu) dy$$

### Exercise .1.1

The condition that  $f(z) dz$  is closed is exactly the Cauchy-Riemann equations. That is

$$\frac{\partial[u + iv]}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial[-v + iu]}{\partial x}.$$

### Theorem .1.1 (Morera)

A continuously differentiable function  $f(z)$  on  $D$  is holomorphic if and only if the differential  $f(z) dz$  is closed on  $D$ .

### Theorem .1.2 (Cauchy)

Let  $D$  be a bounded connected open subset of  $\mathbb{C}$  with piecewise smooth boundary. If  $f(z)$  is holomorphic on  $D$  and if it extends smoothly to  $\partial D$ , then

$$\int_{\partial D} f(z) dz = 0.$$

*Proof.* Apply Green's theorem! 

### Corollary .1.3

If  $f(z)$  is holomorphic on a region that contains an annulus  $D$  with inner radius  $r$  and outer radius  $R$  about  $z$  then

$$\int_{|z-w|=r} f(w) dw = \int_{|z-w|=R} f(w) dw.$$

*Proof.* We know that

$$0 = \int_{\partial D} f(w) dw = \int_{|z-w|=R} f(w) dw - \int_{|z-w|=r} f(w) dw.$$

### Theorem .1.4 (Cauchy's Integral Formula for $f(z)$ )

Let  $D \subseteq \mathbb{C}$  be a bounded, connected, open subset with piecewise smooth boundary. If  $f(z)$  is holomorphic on  $D$  and  $f(z)$  extends continuously to  $\partial D$ , then for each  $z \in D$  we have

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\partial D} \frac{f(w)}{w - z} dw.$$

Compare this with  $\int_{|w|=1} \frac{dw}{w} = 2\pi i$ . This is the  $f(w) = 1, z = 0$  case. In fact we're going to use this to steal the game.

*Proof.* Fix  $z \in D$  and choose  $\varepsilon > 0$  so that  $\overline{B(z, \varepsilon)} \subseteq D$  (the closed ball).

Define  $D_\varepsilon := D \setminus \overline{B(z, \varepsilon)}$ . We know  $w \mapsto \frac{f(w)}{w-z}$  is holomorphic on  $D_\varepsilon$  and extends smoothly to  $\partial D_\varepsilon = \partial D \cup \{|w-z|=\varepsilon\}$ , with reversed orientations.

We then have that

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{D_\varepsilon} \frac{f(w)}{w-z} dw &= 0 \\ \int_{D_\varepsilon} \frac{f(w)}{w-z} &= \int_{\partial D} \frac{f(w)}{w-z} dw - \int_{|w-z|=\varepsilon} \frac{f(w)}{w-z} dw \\ \int_{\partial D} \frac{f(w)}{w-z} dw &= \int_{|w-z|=\varepsilon} \frac{f(w)}{w-z} dw. \end{aligned}$$

Thus we can reduce the problem to evaluating the integral over a small circle  $|w-z|=\varepsilon$ . There are a number of different proofs. The simplest uses the mean value property. Parameterizing  $|w-z|=\varepsilon$  as  $z + \varepsilon e^{i\theta}$  for  $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$  yields

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\partial D} \frac{f(w)}{w-z} &= \int_0^{2\pi} f(z + \varepsilon e^{i\theta}) i d\theta \\ \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\partial D} \frac{f(w)}{w-z} &= \int_0^{2\pi} f(z + \varepsilon e^{i\theta}) \frac{d\theta}{2\pi}. \end{aligned}$$

Applying the mean value property to  $u, v$  where  $f = u + iv$  gives us the result.

If we want to approach this using analysis directly, we may do so as below

Note that the value of this integral cannot depend on  $\varepsilon > 0$ . Fix some  $\delta > 0$ , we wish to show that

$$\left| 2\pi i f(z) - \int_{\partial D} \frac{f(w)}{w-z} dw \right| < \delta.$$

Well, we may write this as

$$2\pi i f(z) - \int_{|z-w|=\varepsilon} \frac{f(w)}{w-z} dw = \int_{|z-w|=\varepsilon} \frac{f(z) - f(w)}{z-w} dw,$$

because

$$\int_{|z-w|=\varepsilon} \frac{dw}{z-w} = 2\pi i.$$

Then using the ML-inequality (see [thm:ml-theorem]) we have that

$$\left| 2\pi i f(z) - \int_{|z-w|=\varepsilon} \frac{f(w)}{w-z} dw \right| = \left| \int_{|z-w|=\varepsilon} \frac{f(z) - f(w)}{z-w} dw \right| = 2\pi\varepsilon \cdot \sup_{|z-w|=\varepsilon} |f(z) - f(w)|.$$

Taking  $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$  takes the right hand side to zero, so we win!



### Theorem 1.5 (Cauchy's Generalized Integral Formula)

Let  $D \subseteq \mathbb{C}$  be a bounded connected open subset with piecewise smooth boundary. Suppose that  $f(z)$

is holomorphic on  $D$  and  $f(z)$  extends smoothly to  $\partial D$ , then  $f$  has complex derivatives of all orders on  $D$ , which are given by

$$f^{(m)}(z) = \frac{m!}{2\pi i} \int_{\partial D} \frac{f(w)}{(w-z)^{m+1}} dw.$$

*Proof.* Proof is via induction on  $m$ . Going from  $m = 0$  to  $m = 1$  is similar enough to going from  $m = n$  to  $m = n + 1$ , so we'll do the first only.

Consider that

$$\frac{1}{w-(z+h)} - \frac{1}{w-z} = \frac{w-z-(w-(z+h))}{(w-(z+h))(w-z)} = \frac{h}{(w-(z+h))(w-z)}.$$

Then we have by Theorem .1.4 that

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{f(z+h) - f(z)}{h} &= \frac{1}{2\pi i h} \int_{\partial D} \left( \frac{f(w)}{w-(z+h)} - \frac{f(w)}{w-z} \right) dw \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\partial D} \frac{f(w)}{(w-(z+h))(w-z)} dw. \end{aligned}$$

As we take  $h \rightarrow 0$ , the integrand converges to  $\frac{f(w)}{(w-z)^2}$  uniformly on  $w \in \partial D$ . Thus the integrals converge and we obtain

$$f'(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\partial D} \frac{f(w)}{(w-z)^2} dw$$

for  $z \in D$ .



### Corollary .1.6

If  $f(z)$  is holomorphic on  $D$ , then  $f(z)$  is infinitely differentiable and all derivatives are also holomorphic on  $D$ .

### Example .1.2

We can simply compute

$$\int_{|z|=2} \frac{\sin(2z)}{(z-i)^6} dz.$$

We know  $f(z) = \sin(2z)$  is holomorphic on this region, and so Cauchy's integral formula tells us that

$$f^{(5)}(i) = \frac{5!}{2\pi i} \int_{|z|=2} \frac{\sin(2z)}{(z-i)^6} dz.$$

Taking 5 derivatives of  $\sin(2z)$  yields  $2^5 \cos(2z)$ . Thus this is

$$2^5 \cos(2i) = \frac{5!}{2\pi i} \int_{|z|=2} \frac{\sin(2z)}{(z-i)^6} dz.$$

Noting that  $2 \cos(\theta) = e^{i\theta} + e^{-i\theta}$ , we have that

$$\int_{|z|=2} \frac{\sin(2z)}{(z-i)^6} dz = \frac{2^5 \pi i (e^{-2} + e^2)}{5!}$$