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Lecture 26 

Chapter 5 - Local behavior

Last time: **Open Mapping Theorem:** Suppose  $\Omega$  is a region and  $f \in \mathcal{H}(\Omega)$ . Then  $f(\Omega)$  is either a point or a region.

**Theorem 7** Suppose  $f \in \mathcal{H}(\Omega)$  and  $f'(z_0) \neq 0$  for some  $z_0$  in  $\Omega$ . Then there is an open neighborhood  $V$  of  $z_0$  in  $\Omega$ , such that

- i)  $f$  is one-to-one on  $V$ .
- ii)  $W = f(V)$  is open
- iii)  $f$  has a holomorphic inverse function  $f^{-1}$  on  $V$ .

**proof** As  $f'(z_0) \neq 0$  we can choose  $\epsilon > 0$  such that  $D_\epsilon(z_0) \subset \Omega$  and such that

$$z \in D_\epsilon(z_0) \Rightarrow |f'(z) - f'(z_0)| \leq \frac{1}{2}|f'(z_0)|$$

**Picture**

This implies that  $|f'(z)| \geq \frac{1}{2}|f'(z_0)|$  if  $z \in D_\epsilon(z_0)$ .

Let  $V = D_\epsilon(z_0)$ . Then  $v \in V$  implies that  $f'(z) \neq 0$ . Also if  $z_1, z_2 \in V$  then

$$f(z_2) - f(z_1) = \int_{[z_1, z_2]} f'(w) dw = \int_{[z_1, z_2]} f'(z_0) dw + \int_{[z_1, z_2]} f'(w) - f'(z_0) dw.$$

Using the statement above and the  $\neq \Delta$  we can show that

$$|f(z_2) - f(z_1)| \geq \frac{1}{2}|f'(z_0)||z_2 - z_1| \neq 0. \quad (*)$$

**proof**

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This implies i). Furthermore ii) follows from the **Open Mapping Theorem**.

To prove iii), the existence of the holomorphic inverse let  $g : W \rightarrow V$  be the inverse of  $f$  on  $V$ . We have to show that  $g \in \mathcal{H}(W)$ .

If  $w_1 \neq w_2$  in  $W$ , then there is exactly one  $z_i \in V$ , such that  $f(z_i) = w_i$  for  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ . Then

$$\frac{g(w_2) - g(w_1)}{w_2 - w_1} =$$

Furthermore, if  $w_2 \rightarrow w_1$  then  $f(z_2) \rightarrow f(z_1)$  and by (\*)  $z_2 \rightarrow z_1$ .

Since  $f'(z_1) \neq 0$  we have

$$g'(w_1) =$$

Hence  $g \in \mathcal{H}(W)$ . □

**Corollary 8** Suppose  $\Omega$  is a region and  $f \in \mathcal{H}(\Omega)$ . If  $f$  is injective in  $\Omega$  then  $f'(z) \neq 0$  for all  $z \in \Omega$  and  $f$  has a holomorphic inverse.

**proof** First,  $f(\Omega)$  is a region. If  $f'(z_0) = 0$  for some  $z_0 \in \Omega$ , since  $f$  is not constant we know

□

**Example** Let  $\Omega = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : 0 < \text{Im}(z) < 2\pi\}$  and consider

$$f : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{C}, z = x + iy \mapsto f(z) = e^z = e^x \cdot (\cos(y) + i \sin(y)).$$

We checked that  $f$  is injective on  $\Omega$  and  $f(\Omega) = \mathbb{C} \setminus [0, \infty)$ .

Then by **Corollary 8** we have that  $f^{-1} \in \mathcal{H}(\mathbb{C} \setminus [0, \infty))$  and

$$f^{-1}(z) = \log(z) = \ln(|z|) + i \cdot \arg(z), \quad \text{where } \arg(z) = \phi, \quad \text{such that } z = |z| \cdot e^{i\phi}, \quad \phi \in (0, 2\pi).$$

We verify  $\log'(z) = \frac{1}{z}$ .

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Chapter 6 - Cauchy's Theorem (adult version)

Preliminaries

A path  $\gamma$  defines a linear functional on the space of continuous functions  $C(\gamma^\star)$ :

$$\tilde{\gamma} : C(\gamma^\star) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}, f \mapsto \tilde{\gamma}(f) = \int_{\gamma} f(w) dw.$$

We recall that  $\gamma_1 \simeq \gamma_2$ , if  $\tilde{\gamma}_1 = \tilde{\gamma}_2$ .

If  $\gamma_1, \gamma_2, \dots, \gamma_n$  are paths in  $\mathbb{C}$  then each  $\tilde{\gamma}_i$  can be seen as a functional on  $C(K)$  where

$$K = \bigcup_{i=1}^n \gamma_i^\star$$

Using a formal sum we can set  $\Gamma = \gamma_1 \oplus \gamma_2 \oplus \dots \oplus \gamma_n$  and define

$$\tilde{\Gamma}(f) = \tilde{\Gamma}(f) = \int_{\Gamma} f(w) dw := \sum_{i=1}^n \int_{\gamma_i} f(w) dw.$$

We say that two such sums  $\Gamma_1$  and  $\Gamma_2$  are equivalent if  $\tilde{\Gamma}_1 = \tilde{\Gamma}_2$ . We furthermore set  $\Gamma^\star = \bigcup_{i=1}^n \gamma_i^\star$ .

Picture

**Definition 1** A **chain** in  $\Omega$  is an equivalence class  $\Gamma$  of formal sums of paths in  $\Omega$ . In particular  $\Gamma^\star \subset \Omega$ . We define

- i) A **chain**  $\Gamma$  is called a **cycle** if  $\Gamma$  has a representation  $\Gamma = \gamma_1 \oplus \gamma_2 \oplus \dots \oplus \gamma_n$  where each  $\gamma_i$  is a closed path.
  - ii) If  $\Gamma$  is a cycle and  $a \notin \Gamma^\star$ , then  $\text{Ind}_{\Gamma}(a) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \cdot \int_{\Gamma} \frac{dz}{z-a}$ .
  - iii) In a natural way we define  $-\Gamma = (-\gamma_1) \oplus (-\gamma_2) \oplus \dots \oplus (-\gamma_n)$  and  $\Gamma_1 \oplus \Gamma_2$ .
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**Definition 2** A closed path  $\gamma \in \Omega$  is said to be **homologous to zero** in  $\Omega$  if for all  $a \notin \Omega$  we have

$$\text{Ind}_\gamma(a) = 0.$$

**Examples**

**Note 3** If  $\Omega$  is a convex region, then every closed path is homologous to zero. Hence  $\text{Ind}_\Gamma(a) = 0$  for all cycles  $\Gamma \in \Omega$  and all  $a \notin \Omega$ .

**proof**

**Cauchy's Theorem (adult version) (CTA)** Let  $\Omega$  be a domain and  $f \in \mathcal{H}(\Omega)$ . If  $\Gamma$  is a cycle in  $\Omega$  such that  $\text{Ind}_\Gamma(a) = 0$  for all  $a \notin \Omega$ . Then

i) For all  $z \in \Omega \setminus \Gamma^*$  we have  $\text{Ind}_\Gamma(z) \cdot f(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \cdot \int_\Gamma \frac{f(w)}{w-z} dw$ .

ii)  $\int_\Gamma f(z) dz = 0$ .

iii) Furthermore if  $\Gamma_1$  and  $\Gamma_2$  are cycles such that  $\text{Ind}_{\Gamma_1}(a) = \text{Ind}_{\Gamma_2}(a)$  for all  $a \notin \Omega$ , then

$$\int_{\Gamma_1} f(z) dz = \int_{\Gamma_2} f(z) dz.$$

**proof** see **Rudin: Real and complex analysis**, p. 218-220.

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**Cauchy's Integral Formula for an Annulus** Suppose  $\Omega$  is a domain containing

$$A = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : 0 \leq r < |z - a| < R < +\infty\}$$

and  $f \in \mathcal{H}(\Omega)$ . Let  $\gamma_1(t) = a + r \cdot e^{it}$  and  $\gamma_2(t) = a + R \cdot e^{it}$  for  $t \in [0, 2 \cdot \pi]$ . Then for all  $z \in A$  we have

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \cdot \int_{\gamma_2} \frac{f(w)}{w - z} dw - \frac{1}{2\pi i} \cdot \int_{\gamma_1} \frac{f(w)}{w - z} dw \stackrel{\text{Def.}}{=} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \cdot \int_{\partial A} \frac{f(w)}{w - z} dw$$

**Picture**

**proof** Let  $\Gamma = \gamma_2 - \gamma_1$ . If  $a \notin A \cup \Gamma^*$ , then

Now we can apply **CTA ii)** and obtain our result. □

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