

COMPLEX ANALYSIS PROBLEMS (MATH 400)
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Note: ♠ problems are optional challenge problems.

- (1) Compute and simplify to $z = a + bi$ form
 - (a) i^3
 - (b) i^{2013}
 - (c) $(3 - 2i) + (-1 + 6i)$
 - (d) $(1 + i) - (2 + \sqrt{2}i)$
 - (e) $(-1 + i)(4 - i)$
 - (f) $(-1 + i)^3$
 - (g) $(2 - i)(\overline{1 + i})$
 - (h) $\operatorname{Re}[(-1 + i)^3]$
 - (i) $\operatorname{Im}[(-1 + i)^3]$
 - (j) $i/(1 - i)$
 - (k) $(2 - i)/(\overline{1 + i})$
- (2) Let $z_1 = 1 + 3i$, $z_2 = -1 - 2i$.
 - (a) In the Complex plane, plot z_1 , z_2 , $z_1 + z_2$, $z_1 - z_2$, $z_1 z_2$ and z_1/z_2 .
 - (b) Compute the following:
 - (i) $|z_1|$
 - (ii) $|z_2|$
 - (iii) $|z_1 z_2|$
 - (iv) $|z_1 - z_2|$ (do this two different ways)
- (3) Compute and simplify to $z = a + bi$ form
 - (a) $\left| \frac{1}{1 + i} \right|$
 - (b) $|(2 - i\sqrt{2})^{50}|$
- (4) Describe and graph the set of points $z \in \mathbb{C}$ that satisfy the following.
 - (a) $z = \bar{z}$
 - (b) $-z = \bar{z}$
 - (c) $\bar{z} = z^{-1}$
 - (d) $|z - 2 + i| = 3$
 - (e) $\operatorname{Im}((1 - i)z + 2) = 0$
 - (f) $|z - i| = |z + 1|$
 - (g) $|\bar{z}| = \operatorname{Im}(z)$
 - (h) $\operatorname{Re}(z\bar{z}) = 4$

- (5) Compute the following.
- (a) $\text{Arg}(1)$
 - (b) $\arg(1)$
 - (c) $\text{Arg}(3i)$
 - (d) $\arg(3i)$
 - (e) $\text{Arg}(1 + \sqrt{3}i)$
 - (f) $\arg(1 + \sqrt{3}i)$
 - (g) $\text{Arg}((1 - i)^5)$
- (6) Write the following complex numbers in $z = a + bi$ form
- (a) $2 \left[\cos \left(\frac{11\pi}{3} \right) + i \sin \left(\frac{11\pi}{3} \right) \right]$
 - (b) $\sqrt{5} \left[\cos \left(\frac{2\pi}{3} \right) + i \sin \left(\frac{2\pi}{3} \right) \right]$
 - (c) $10 \left[\cos \left(\frac{-\pi}{3} \right) + i \sin \left(\frac{-\pi}{3} \right) \right]$
- (7) Write the following complex numbers in polar form ($z = r[\cos(\theta) + i \sin(\theta)]$).
- (a) $\sqrt{3} - i$
 - (b) $1 + \sqrt{3}i$
 - (c) $2 - \sqrt{3} + i$
- (8) Use your answers from (7) to help you write the following in polar form.
- (a) $(\sqrt{3} - i)^{100}$
 - (b) $(1 + \sqrt{3}i)^{2012}$
 - (c) $(2 - \sqrt{3} + i)^{216}$
- (9) ♠ Prove: For all $n \geq 1$, For all $z_1, z_2, \dots, z_n \in \mathbb{C}$, $\left| \sum_{j=1}^n z_j \right| \leq \sum_{j=1}^n |z_j|$.
- (10) Find and graph all roots in both $a + bi$ and polar forms.
- (a) $(1)^{(1/5)}$
 - (b) $(-1)^{(1/4)}$
 - (c) $(-1 + i)^{(1/3)}$
 - (d) $(4i)^{(1/6)}$
- (11) The **n th roots of unity** are the n distinct solutions to the equation $z^n = 1$.
- (a) Show that the n th roots of unity are given by

$$(1)^{(1/n)} = \omega_k = \cos \left(\frac{2\pi k}{n} \right) + i \sin \left(\frac{2\pi k}{n} \right),$$

where $k = 0, 1, \dots, n - 1$. Hint: Use your answer from (10a) to help.

- (b) ♠ Let $n > 1$ be fixed. For which k can we obtain all of the n th roots of unity by taking powers of ω_k ? Hint: this should work for $k = 1$: $\omega_1, \omega_1^2, \omega_1^3, \dots$ should give every ω_k , but are there other values of k that work as well? What is the relationship between k and n here?
- (c) ♠ Let $n > 1$ be fixed. For the values of k where ω_k does not generate all of the roots of unity, how many of the roots are found by taking powers of ω_k ? Can you come up with a way to relate k and n and the number of generated roots? Draw some pictures and try this for various k and at least $n = 2, 3, 4, 5, 6$, and then think of the general situation.
- (d) ♠ Prove that $1 + \omega_1 + \omega_1^2 + \dots + \omega_1^{n-1} = 0$. Hint: Use $\omega_1^n = 1$.
- (12) Compute $f(1)$, $f(i)$ and $f(1+i)$ for the following functions.
- $f(z) = z + (\bar{z})^{-1}$.
 - $f(z) = z^2 - \operatorname{Re}(z)$
 - $f(z) = \operatorname{Re}(z) - \operatorname{Im}(z)$
 - $f(z) = e^z$
 - $f(z) = 3x - iy\bar{z}$
- (13) Find the real and imaginary parts of the following functions and rewrite the functions in the form $f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$.
- $f(z) = z^2$
 - $f(z) = z + z^{-1}$
 - $f(z) = e^{\bar{z}}$
 - $f(z) = iz - \operatorname{Im}(z)|z|$
- (14) (a) Let $z = x + iy \in \mathbb{C}$. Show that $|e^z| = e^x$.
 (b) ♠ Let $z_1, z_2 \in \mathbb{C}$. Show that $e^{z_1+z_2} = e^{z_1}e^{z_2}$.
- (15) Find the image of the following sets under the given complex function. Draw a picture of the set and its image (z -plane and w -plane pictures).
- $w = f(z) = -iz$ and the set of $z \in \mathbb{C}$ such that $\operatorname{Im}(z) = -5$.
Note: this is the same function from class.
 - $w = f(z) = -iz$ and the set of $z \in \mathbb{C}$ such that $\operatorname{Im}(z) = 5$. Note: this is the same function from class.
 - $w = f(z) = -iz$ and the set of $z \in \mathbb{C}$ such that $-5 < \operatorname{Im}(z) < 5$.
Note: this is the same function from class.
 - $w = f(z) = z + 3i$ and the set of $z \in \mathbb{C}$ such that $x = y$.
 - $w = f(z) = z + 3i$ and the set of $z \in \mathbb{C}$ such that $|z - 1| < 1$.
 - $w = f(z) = iz - \bar{z}$ and the set of $z \in \mathbb{C}$ such that $\operatorname{Re}(z) + \operatorname{Im}(z) \geq 1$.
- (16) Find the parametrization of the following curves:
- The line through 8 and $1 + i$.

- (b) The line segment connecting -1 and $2 - i$.
 - (c) The ray starting at $-6i$ and going through $1 + 3i$.
 - (d) The circle of radius 4 centered at $2i$ oriented positively.
- (17) Find the image of the following curves under the given mapping (Hint: use the parametrizations from the previous problem).
- (a) The line through 8 and $1 + i$ under $f(z) = e^{i\pi/3}z$.
 - (b) The line segment connecting -1 and $2 - i$ under $f(z) = e^{i\pi/4}z - 3i + 1$.
 - (c) The ray starting at $-6i$ and going through $1 + 3i$ under $f(z) = -z$.
 - (d) The circle of radius 4 centered at $2i$ oriented positively under $f(z) = 3z + i - 1$.
- (18) Classify the following functions as translations, rotations, magnifications or other?
- (a) $f(z) = e^{i\pi/3}z$.
 - (b) $f(z) = \bar{z}$.
 - (c) $f(z) = \operatorname{Im}(z) + \operatorname{Re}(z)$.
 - (d) $f(z) = -z$.
 - (e) $f(z) = \sqrt{2}z$.
 - (f) $f(z) = 3z + i - 1$.
- (19) Show that the following functions $f : \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ are NOT one-to-one (injective)
- (a) $f(z) = z^2$.
 - (b) $f(z) = z^5$.
- (20) Show that the following functions $f : \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ are one-to-one (injective), and then find f^{-1} .
- (a) $f(z) = z - i\sqrt{3}$.
 - (b) $f(z) = 4iz - 2$.
- (21) Show that the following limits do not exist.
- (a) $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{\operatorname{Re}(z)}{z}$
 - (b) $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{\operatorname{Im}(z)^2 + 2}{3z^2}$
- (22) Evaluate $\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} f(z)$ by writing $f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$ and computing the real limits.
- (a) $\lim_{z \rightarrow 1-i} \left(\frac{x}{x^2 + y^2 + 1} + 2xyi \right)$
 - (b) $\lim_{z \rightarrow i} (i|z|^2 - \operatorname{Re}(z)\operatorname{Im}(z))$
 - (c) $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{|z|^2}{\bar{z}}$

- (d) $\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \operatorname{Re}(z)$
- (e) $\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \operatorname{Im}(z)$
- (f) ♠ Show: $\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} c = c$, where $c \in \mathbb{C}$ is a constant.
- (g) ♠ Show: $\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} z = z_0$.
- (23) Show that the following functions are continuous at the given point.
- (a) $f(z) = z^2 - 4iz + 3$; $z_0 = 1 - i$.
- (b) $f(z) = z - \frac{1}{z}$; $z_0 = -2i$.
- (c) $f(z) = \frac{z^2}{1 - z}$; $z_0 = -i$.
- (24) Show that the following functions are discontinuous at the given point.
- (a) $f(z) = z - \frac{1}{z}$; $z_0 = 0$.
- (b) $f(z) = \frac{z^2}{1 + z^2}$; $z_0 = i$.
- (25) Determine where the following functions are continuous
- (a) $f(z) = \frac{z - 2}{z^3 + i}$
- (b) $f(z) = \frac{z}{x - 1}$
- (c) $f(z) = \frac{2iz^2}{|z| + 1}$
- (d) $f(z) = \frac{2iz^2}{|z| - 1}$
- (26) Compute $f'(z)$ using the limit definition of the derivative
- (a) $f(z) = 2i$
- (b) $f(z) = 2i/z$
- (27) Compute $f'(z)$ using the derivative formulas
- (a) $f(z) = 2i$
- (b) $f(z) = 2i/z$
- (c) $f(z) = (z^3 - 2\pi i)^{2013}$
- (28) Show that the following functions are nowhere differentiable
- (a) $f(z) = \bar{z}$
- (b) $f(z) = 2ix + 4y$
- (c) ♠ $f(z) = |z|$
- (29) Use the Cauchy-Riemann equations to help determine where the following functions are differentiable and evaluate the derivative (valid at those points where they exist).
- (a) $f(z) = 2iz + 4 - i$
- (b) $f(z) = x^2 + iy^2$

- (c) $f(z) = 3x^3 + (y^2 + 2y)i$
- (d) $f(z) = -\cos(x) + y\sin(x)i$
- (e) $f(z) = |z + 1 - 2i|^2$
- (f) $f(z) = \sin(x) \cosh(y) + i \cos(x) \sinh(y)$
- (30) ♠ Suppose $f(z)$ and $\overline{f(z)}$ are both analytic on some domain D . Show that $f(z)$ must be constant on D .
- (31) Which of the following functions are harmonic?
 - (a) $h(x, y) = x^2 - y^2$
 - (b) $h(x, y) = \sin(x)e^y$
 - (c) $h(x, y) = x^3 - y$
- (32) Compute
 - (a) $\ln(-1 - i)$
 - (b) $\text{Ln}(-1 - i)$
 - (c) $\ln(1 - \sqrt{3}i)$
 - (d) $\text{Ln}(1 - \sqrt{3}i)$
 - (e) $\ln(5)$
 - (f) $\text{Ln}(5)$
- (33) Find all $z \in \mathbb{C}$ that satisfy the given equation
 - (a) $e^z = -i\pi$
 - (b) $\text{Ln}(z + 1) = 2\pi i$
 - (c) $e^{z^3} = 2i$
- (34) Let $p(z) = a_n z^n + a_{n-1} z^{n-1} + \cdots + a_1 z + a_0$, where $a_0, a_1, \dots, a_n$ are real constants (a complex polynomial with real coefficients). Show that if $p(z) = 0$, then $p(\bar{z}) = 0$.
- (35) Differentiate the following
 - (a) $\text{Ln}(z^3 + 1)$
 - (b) $e^{4\pi i z}$
 - (c) $\sin(e^z)$
 - (d) $\cos(z^2 + \cosh(z))$
- (36) Find the principal value of the following
 - (a) i^{2i}
 - (b) $(1 - i)^i$
- (37) Find all $z \in \mathbb{C}$ that satisfy the given equation
 - (a) $\cos(z) = i$
- (38) Use a parametrization of C to evaluate the following
 - (a) $\int_C x dz$, where C is the line segment from 0 to $2i$.
 - (b) $\int_C x dz$, where C is right half of the circle $|z - i| = 1$, oriented counterclockwise.

- (c) $\oint_C x dz$, where C is $|z - i| = 1$.
- (d) $\int_C y dz$, where C is the line segment from 0 to $2i$.
- (e) $\oint_C \frac{1}{z} dz$, where C is $|z| = 10$.
- (39) Use the Cauchy-Goursat Theorem, Annulus Theorem (Deformation of Contour Theorem), and Generalized Deformation of Contours Theorem (Cauchy-Goursat Theorem for Multiply Connected Domains) to evaluate the following
- (a) $\oint_C \frac{z-1}{z} dz$, where C is $|z - i| = 1/2$.
- (b) $\oint_C \frac{z-1}{z} dz$, where C is $|z - i| = 5$.
- (c) $\oint_C \frac{1}{z^2 + 1} dz$, where C is $|z| = 1/2$.
- (d) $\oint_C \frac{1}{z^2 + 1} dz$, where C is $|z| = 2$.
- (e) $\oint_C \frac{1}{z^2 + 1} dz$, where C is $|z - i| = 1/\pi$.
- (f) $\oint_C \frac{1}{z^2 + i} dz$, where C is $|z| = 2$.
- (g) $\oint_C e^z dz$, where C is any simple closed curve in the complex plane that traces out the shape of a Clover .
- (40) Compute the integral $\int_C (7z - e^z) dz$, where C is upper half of the circle $|z| = 1$, oriented clockwise, in the following 3 ways
- (a) Parametrize C .
- (b) Use a different curve C' .
- (c) Use the Fundamental Theorem for Contour Integrals.
- (41) Evaluate the following using the Fundamental Theorem for Contour Integrals.
- (a) $\int_C e^z dz$, where C is the line segment from -1 to i .
- (b) $\int_C \sin(4z) dz$, where C is the line segment from $2i$ to $3i$.
- (c) $\int_C \cos^2(2z) dz$, where C is the line segment from 0 to $\pi/2$.
- (d) $\int_C \cosh(2z) dz$, where C is the line segment from 0 to πi .
- (42) Evaluate the following using Cauchy's integral formula.

- (a) $\oint_C \frac{e^z}{z-5} dz$, where C is $|z-1| = 10$.
- (b) $\oint_C \frac{1}{z^2+1} dz$, where C is $|z| = 1/2$.
- (c) $\oint_C \frac{1}{z^2+1} dz$, where C is $|z| = 2$.
- (d) $\oint_C \frac{1}{z^2+1} dz$, where C is $|z-i| = 1/\pi$.
- (e) $\oint_C \frac{1}{z^4-1} dz$, where C is $|z| = 2$.
- (f) $\spadesuit \oint_C \frac{1}{z^n-1} dz$, where C is $|z| = 2$.
- (43) Evaluate the following using Cauchy's integral formula.
- (a) $\oint_C \frac{e^z}{(z-2)^3} dz$, where C is $|z| = 4$.
- (b) $\oint_C \frac{1}{z \sin(z)} dz$, where C is $|z| = 1$.
- (c) $\oint_C \frac{\cosh(z)}{z^4} dz$, where C is $|z| = 1$.
- (d) $\oint_C \frac{1}{z^2(z^2-1)} dz$, where C is $|z| = 2$.
- (44) Find the radius of convergence for the following power series
- (a) $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{2n+1}$.
- (b) $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(z-2i)^n}{(2n)!}$.
- (45) Find the Maclaurin series representation for the following functions and find the radius of convergence of the representation. Hint: use any of the Maclaurin series from class.
- (a) e^{z^2}
- (b) $\sin(z^2)$
- (c) $\frac{1}{1+z^3}$.
- (d) $\cosh(z)$.
- (e) $\frac{1}{(1-z)^2}$.
- (f) $\ln(1+z)$.
- (46) Find the Laurent series representation for the following functions valid on the given annular domain.
- (a) $\frac{e^{z^2}}{z^2}$, $|z| > 0$.

- (b) $\frac{1+z-e^z}{z^3}, |z| > 0.$
- (c) $\frac{\sin(z)-z}{z^3}, |z| > 0.$
- (d) $e^{1/z^2}, |z| > 0.$
- (e) $\frac{1}{z(z+i)}, 0 < |z| < 1.$
- (f) $\frac{1}{z(z+i)}, |z| > 1.$
- (g) $\frac{1}{z(z+i)}, 0 < |z+i| < 1.$
- (h) $\frac{1}{z(z+i)}, |z+i| > 1.$
- (47) Determine the zeros and their order for the given functions.
- (a) $(2i-z)^5.$
- (b) $\cos(z)$
- (c) $(z \cos(z))^2.$
- (d) $\sin(z)(\cos(z)-1).$
- (48) Classify the singularities for the given functions (state for each singularity if it is removable, simple, a pole of order n , or essential).
- (a) $\frac{1}{z(z-3i)^4}.$
- (b) $\frac{1}{(z^2+1)^3}.$
- (c) $\frac{1}{\cos(z)-1}$
- (d) $\frac{\sin(z)}{z}.$
- (e) $\frac{e^{1/z}}{z^{12}}.$
- (f) $\frac{z-5}{(z-i)^2(z+i)^7}.$
- (g) $\frac{\sin(z)}{ze^z-z}$
- (49) Evaluate the following using Cauchy's Residue Theorem.
- (a) $\oint_C \frac{1}{z^2+1} dz$, where C is $|z| = 2.$
- (b) $\oint_C \frac{\cos(2z)-1}{z^3} dz$, where C is $|z| = 1.$
- (c) $\oint_C \frac{e^z}{z^5} dz$, where C is $|z| = 1.$
- (d) $\oint_C \frac{1}{1-e^z} dz$, where C is $|z| = 1.$

- (e) $\oint_C \frac{1}{z^2(z-3i)} dz$, where C is $|z| = 4$.
- (f) $\oint_C \frac{1}{z^2(z-3i)} dz$, where C is $|z| = 1$.
- (g) $\oint_C \frac{1}{z \sin^2(z)} dz$, where C is $|z| = 3$.
- (h) $\oint_C \cos(2/z) dz$, where C is $|z| = 1$.
- (i) $\oint_C z e^{\pi/z^2} dz$, where C is $|z| = 1$.
- (j) $\oint_C \frac{\text{Ln}(z)}{\cos(z)} dz$, where C is $|z - \pi/2| = 1/2$.
- (k) $\spadesuit \oint_C \frac{1}{z^n \sin(z)} dz$, where C is $|z| = 1$ and $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ with $n \geq 1$.
- (50) Evaluate.
- (a) $\int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1}{1 - \cos(x)} dx$
- (b) $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{x-1}{x^4+1} dx$
- (c) $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\sin(x)}{x^4+1} dx$
- (d) $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{x(x^2+4)} dx$
- (e) $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\cos(x)}{x(x^2+4)} dx$
- (f) $\spadesuit \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\cos(x)}{x^n-1} dx$