

the ~~plus~~ residue of $\frac{1}{z-a}(\ln f(z)) \approx \frac{f'(z)}{f(z)}$ at a .

• suppose a is a zero of order α i.e. $f(z) = c_\alpha(z-a)^\alpha + c_{\alpha+1}(z-a)^{\alpha+1} + \dots$

$$\text{so } f'(z) = \alpha c_\alpha(z-a)^{\alpha-1} + \dots$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \frac{f'(z)}{f(z)} &= \frac{\alpha c_\alpha(z-a)^{\alpha-1} + \dots}{c_\alpha(z-a)^\alpha + \dots} = \frac{1}{z-a} \frac{\alpha + (\alpha+1) \frac{c_{\alpha+1}}{c_\alpha}(z-a) + \dots}{1 + \frac{c_{\alpha+1}}{c_\alpha}(z-a) + \dots} \\ &= \frac{\alpha}{z-a} + c'_0 + c'_1(z-a) + \dots \end{aligned}$$

so $\underset{a}{\operatorname{Res}} \frac{f'(z)}{f(z)} = \alpha$, i.e. the order of the zero.

• suppose b is a pole of order β for $f(z)$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{then } f(z) &= \frac{c_{-\beta}}{(z-b)^\beta} + \frac{c_{-\beta+1}}{(z-b)^{\beta-1}} + \dots \\ f'(z) &= -\frac{\beta c_{-\beta}}{(z-b)^\beta} + -\frac{(\beta-1)c_{-\beta+1}}{(z-b)^{\beta-2}} - \dots \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \frac{f'(z)}{f(z)} = \\ \hline \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\frac{f'(z)}{f(z)} = \frac{1}{z-b} \left(\frac{-\beta c_{-\beta} - (\beta-1)c_{-\beta+1}(z-b) - \dots}{c_{-\beta} + c_{-\beta+1}(z-b) + \dots} \right) = \frac{-\beta}{z-b} + c'_0 + c'_1(z-b) + \dots$$

$$\text{so } \underset{b}{\operatorname{Res}} \frac{f'(z)}{f(z)} = -\beta.$$

Thus C piecewise smooth Jordan curve, $f(z)$ analytic in and on C , except for poles b_1, \dots, b_n and $f(z)$ has zeros a_1, \dots in inside C , but not on C . The

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{f'(z)}{f(z)} dz = \sum_{k=1}^n \alpha_k - \sum_{k=1}^n \beta_k \quad \begin{array}{l} \alpha_k = \text{order of zero } a_k \\ \beta_k = \text{order of pole } b_k. \end{array}$$

Proof singular points of $\frac{f'(z)}{f(z)}$ inside C are exactly the poles and zeros of $f(z)$.

apply residue formulae. D.

Let $N = \#\text{of zeros}$ } counted according to multiplicity

$P = \#\text{st poles}$

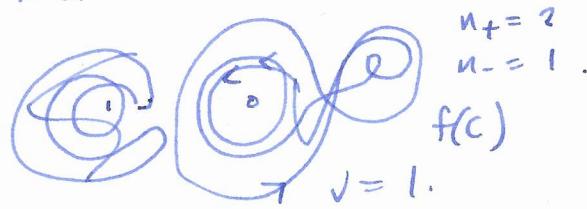
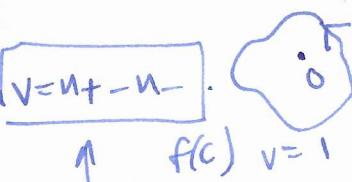
$$\text{then } N - P = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{f'(z)}{f(z)} dz = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{d}{dz} (\ln(f(z))) dz$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C d \ln(f(z)) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \underbrace{\Delta_C \ln(f(z))}_{\text{change in } \ln f(z) \text{ as } z \text{ goes round } C}$$

$$\ln f(z) = \ln |f(z)| + i \arg(f(z)) \leftarrow \text{real part doesn't change. so}$$

$$\Delta_C \ln f(z) = i \Delta_C \arg(f(z)), \text{i.e. } N - P = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \Delta_C \arg f(z).$$

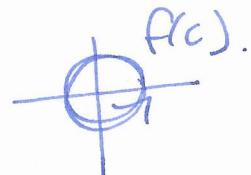
Geometric interpretation $f: \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$.
winding number $C \mapsto n_+ = \frac{\text{number of times go round in the direction}}{\text{number of times go round in -ve direction}}$



$$\text{so } \Delta_C \arg f(z) = 2\pi v, \text{i.e. } N - P = v$$

in image (w-plane).

Example $z \mapsto z^2$.



Thm (Rouché) f, g analytic inside and on C

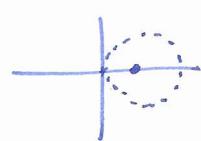
enclose Jordan curve, and suppose $|f(z)| > |g(z)|$ on C

then $f(z)$ and $f(z) + g(z)$ have same number of zeros in C .

Proof $f(z) \neq 0$ on C , so $\Delta_C \arg(f(z) + g(z)) = \Delta_C \arg(f(z)(1 + \frac{g(z)}{f(z)}))$

$\Rightarrow \Delta_C \arg(f(z)) + \Delta_C \arg(1 + \frac{g(z)}{f(z)})$ but $\left| \frac{g(z)}{f(z)} \right| < 1$ so $1 + \frac{g(z)}{f(z)}$

stays inside disc $|w-1| < 1$



so winding number = 0

$$\Rightarrow \Delta_C \arg f(z) = \Delta_C \arg(f(z) + g(z)) \quad \square$$

Example $z^8 - 4z^5 + z^2 - 1 \oplus$ have inside unit circle?

$$f(z) = -4z^5 \quad g(z) = z^8 + z^2 - 1. \quad |f(z)| > |g(z)| \text{ as } |z|=1.$$

5 zeros inside $|z|=1 \Rightarrow \oplus$ has 5 zeros inside $|z|=1$?

Theorem (Fundamental theorem of algebra). Every polynomial $P(z) = a_0 + a_1 z + \dots + a_n z^n$ has precisely n zeros ($n \geq 1$).

Proof set $f(z) = a_n z^n \quad g(z) = a_0 + a_1 z + \dots + a_{n-1} z^{n-1}$

consider circle of radius R , $|z|=R$: $|f(z)| = a_n R^n$

$$|g(z)| \leq |a_0| + |a_1|R + \dots + |a_{n-1}|R^{n-1}$$

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{f(z)}{g(z)} \right| \geq \lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} \frac{|a_n| R^n}{|a_0| + |a_1|R + \dots + |a_{n-1}|R^{n-1}} = \infty, \text{ so } |f(z)| > |g(z)| \text{ for all } R \text{ sufficiently large.}$$

so $P(z)$ has same number of zeros as $a_n z^n$, i.e. n . \square .

Theorem If $f(z)$ is univalent in a domain C , then $f'(z) \neq 0$ in C .

Proof Let $z_0 \in C$ s.t. $f'(z_0) = 0$, then $f(z) = c_0 + c_k (z-z_0)^k + c_{k+1} (z-z_0)^{k+1} + \dots$ in some small disc $|z-z_0| < r$ inside C .

(can choose disc small enough s.t. $f'(z)$ does not vanish on $0 < |z-z_0| \leq r$)

(let $g(z) = c_k + c_{k+1} (z-z_0)^{k+1} + \dots$ does not vanish if $0 < |z-z_0| \leq r$)

and $g(z_0) = c_k$. Let $\mu = \min_{|z-z_0|=r} |c_k (z-z_0)^k + c_{k+1} (z-z_0)^{k+1} + \dots|$

and let $a \neq 0$ be s.t. $|a| < \mu$. Then $f(z) - (c_0 + a)$

$= -a + c_k (z-z_0)^k + c_{k+1} (z-z_0)^{k+1} + \dots$ has same number of zeros as

$$c_k (z-z_0)^k + c_{k+1} (z-z_0)^{k+1} + \dots = (z-z_0)^k (c_k + c_{k+1} (z-z_0) + \dots)$$

i.e. k zeros, and each zero is simple as $(f(z) - (c_0 + a))' = f'(z) \neq 0$.

but then $f(z) = c_0 + a$ at $k \geq 2$ distinct points. $\#$ univalent. \square .