

Lecture 19

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We summarize: Let f be analytic in $G \subseteq \mathbb{C}$.

① (Baby CIF) If $\overline{B(a,r)} \subset G$, then

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_{|z-a|=r} \frac{f(z)}{z-z} dz, \quad z \in B(a,r)$$

② (Power series rep.) If $B(a,R) \subseteq G$, then \exists unique powerseries w/ R.O.C. $\geq R$ s.t.

$$f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (z-a)^n, \quad z \in B(a,R).$$

Thus, f is infinitely \mathbb{C} -diff. and $a_n = \frac{f^{(n)}(a)}{n!} = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{|z-a|=r} \frac{f(z) dz}{(z-a)^{n+1}}$, $r < R$.

• [Do Cauchy Est., \exists primitives, Baby Cauchy from Lecture 18 notes]

Zero set of analytic functions.

① Polynomials. Let $p(z) = a_n z^n + a_{n-1} z^{n-1} + \dots + a_0$ be a (holomorphic) polynomial.

We recall from basic algebra the division algorithm: If $q(z)$ is another polynomial, then \exists polynomials $s(z), r(z)$ s.t.

$$p(z) = s(z)q(z) + r(z), \quad \deg r < \deg q.$$

In particular, if $p(a) = 0$, using $q(z) = z-a \Rightarrow p(z) = s_1(z)(z-a)$.

We note $p'(z) = s_1'(z)(z-a) + s_1(z)$. Thus, if also $p'(a) = 0 \Rightarrow s_1(a) = 0$
 $\Rightarrow s_1(z) = s_2(z)(z-a) \Rightarrow p(z) = s_2(z)(z-a)^2$. Since $\deg s_1 = \deg p - 1$,
 $\deg s_2 = \deg p - 2$, etc., $\exists m$ s.t. $p(z) = s_m(z)(z-a)^m$, $s_m(a) \neq 0$

Def. m is the multiplicity of the zero $z=a$ of $p(z)$.

• If $a_1, \dots, a_n \in \mathbb{C}$ are the zeros of p , $m_1, \dots, m_n \in \mathbb{N}$ their multi's, then $p(z) = s_0(z)(z-a_1)^{m_1} \dots (z-a_n)^{m_n}$, $\sum_{j=1}^n m_j \leq \deg p$. (1)

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Cor. In (1), $\sum_{j=1}^n m_j = \deg p$ and $s_0(z) = c$ for some $c \in \mathbb{C}$.

For pf of FTA, we need important result in complex analysis:

Liouville's Thm. Let f be analytic in \mathbb{C} (Def. entire).

If f is bounded ($|f(z)| \leq M, \forall z \in \mathbb{C}$), then f is constant.

Pf of LT: Note that f is analytic in $B(a, R)$ for every $a \in \mathbb{C}, R > 0$.

By Cauchy's Estimator, $|f'(a)| \leq \frac{M}{R} \rightarrow 0 \Rightarrow f'(a) = 0, \forall a \in \mathbb{C}$.

But then f is constant as claimed.

□

Pf of FTA. Suppose $p(z) = a_n z^n + \dots + a_0, a_n \neq 0$ is a polynomial without zero in \mathbb{C} . Then $f(z) = \frac{1}{p(z)}$ is entire. Moreover, $|p(z)| \geq |z|^n \left(|a_n| - \frac{|a_{n-1}|}{|z|} - \dots - \frac{|a_0|}{|z|^n} \right)$

$\Rightarrow |p(z)| \rightarrow \infty$ as $|z| \rightarrow \infty \Rightarrow |f(z)| \rightarrow 0$ as $|z| \rightarrow \infty$.

In particular, $|f(z)| \leq 1$ for $|z| \geq R$. If we set $M = \max(1, \max_{|z| \leq R} |f(z)|) < \infty$, then $|f(z)| \leq M$ in $\mathbb{C} \Rightarrow$

f constant by LT, and hence $p(z)$ is constant.

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