



21 Analyticity

21.1 Limit, Continuity.

limit.

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} f(z) = l.$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} |f(z) - l| < \varepsilon. \\ |z - z_0| < \delta. \end{array} \right.$$

continuity : $\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} f(z) = f(z_0)$

a function $f(z)$ is said to be continuous at $z = z_0$

Derivative.

$$f'(z_0) = \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(z_0 + \Delta z) - f(z_0)}{\Delta z}$$

$$\Delta z = z - z_0, z = z_0 + \Delta z$$

$$f'(z_0) = \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \frac{f(z) - f(z_0)}{z - z_0}$$

Example 1. Differentiability, Derivative.

$$f(z) = z^2$$

$$f'(z) = \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{(z + \Delta z)^2 - z^2}{\Delta z} = \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{z^2 + 2z\Delta z + (\Delta z)^2 - z^2}{\Delta z} = \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} (2z + \Delta z) = 2z$$

Differentiation rules.

$$(cf)' = cf', \quad (f + g)' = f' + g', \quad (fg)' = f'g + fg'$$

$$\left(\frac{f}{g}\right)' = \frac{f'g - fg'}{g^2}$$

$$(z^n)' = nz^{n-1} \quad (n : \text{integer})$$

Example 2. \bar{z} not differentiable.

$$f(z) = \bar{z} = x - iy.$$

$$\frac{f(z + \Delta z) - f(z)}{\Delta z} = \frac{(z + \bar{\Delta z}) - \bar{z}}{\Delta z} = \frac{\Delta \bar{z}}{\Delta z} = \frac{\Delta x - i\Delta y}{\Delta x + i\Delta y} \quad \begin{array}{l} \Delta x \rightarrow 0 : -1. \\ \Delta y \rightarrow 0 : +1. \end{array}$$

Analytic Functions.

Definition (Analyticity).

A function $f(z)$ is said to be analytic in a domain D if $f(z)$ is defined and differentiable at all points of D . The function $f(z)$ is said to be analytic at a point $z = z_0$ in D if $f(z)$ is analytic in a neighborhood of z_0 . Also, by an analytic we mean a function that is analytic in some domain.

Example 3. Polynomials, rational functions.

polynomials $1, z, z^2, \dots$

quotient of two polynomials $g(z), h(z)$

$$f(z) = \frac{g(z)}{h(z)} : \text{rational function.}$$

21.2 Cauchy-Riemann Equations. Laplace's Equation.

$$w = f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$$

Cauchy-Riemann equations.

(1)

$$u_x = v_y, u_y = -v_x$$

f is analytic in a domain D if and only if the first partial derivatives of u, v satisfy the two so-called Cauchy-Riemann equations everywhere in D .

Theorem 1 (Cauchy-Riemann equations).

Let $f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$ be defined and continuous in some neighborhood of a point $z = x + iy$ and differentiable at z itself. Then at that point, the first-order partial derivatives of u and v exist and satisfy the Cauchy-Riemann equations (1). Hence if $f(z)$ is analytic in a domain D , those partial derivatives exist and satisfy (1) at all points of D .

Proof.

(2)

$$f'(z) = \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(z + \Delta z) - f(z)}{\Delta z} \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} f(z) = u + iv \\ z = x + iy \end{array} \right)$$
$$\Delta z = \Delta x + i\Delta y.$$

(3)

$$f'(z) = \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{u(x + \Delta x, y) - u(x, y)}{\Delta x} + i \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{v(x + \Delta x, y) - v(x, y)}{\Delta x}$$

i) path I. $\Delta y \rightarrow 0$.

$$f'(z) = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{u(x + \Delta x, y) - u(x, y)}{\Delta x} + i \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{v(x + \Delta x, y) - v(x, y)}{\Delta x}$$

(4)

$$f'(z) = u_x + iv_x$$

ii) Path II. $\Delta x \rightarrow 0$.

$$f'(z) = \lim_{\Delta y \rightarrow 0} \frac{u(x, y + \Delta y) - u(x, y)}{i\Delta y} + i \lim_{\Delta y \rightarrow 0} \frac{v(x, y + \Delta y) - v(x, y)}{i\Delta y}$$

(5)

$$f'(z) = -iu_y + v_y$$

(4)=(5) $\therefore u_x = v_y \quad v_x = -u_y$.

Theorem 2 (Cauchy-Riemann equations)

If two real-valued continuous functions $u(x, y)$ and $v(x, y)$ of two real variables x and y have continuous derivatives that satisfy the Cauchy-Riemann equations in some domain D , then the complex function $f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$ is analytic in D .

Example 3. An analytic function of constant absolute value is constant. Show that if $f(z)$ is analytic in a domain D and $|f(z)| = k = \text{constant}$ in D , then $f(z) = \text{const}$ in D .

Solution. $u^2 + v^2 = k^2$.

$$uu_x + vv_x = 0, uu_y + vv_y = 0$$

Cauchy-Riemann equations. $v_x = -u_y$, & $v_y = u_x$

$$u \cdot u_x - v \cdot u_y = 0 \quad \text{a)}$$

$$u \cdot u_y - v \cdot u_x = 0 \quad \text{b)}$$

(a)·u+(b)·v : $(u^2 + v^2) \cdot u_x = 0$.

(a)·(-v)+(b)·u : $(u^2 + v^2) \cdot u_y = 0$.

i) if $k^2 = u^2 + v^2 = 0$ then $u = v = 0 \rightarrow f = 0$.

ii) $u_x = u_y = 0$ by C-R eq. $v_x = v_y = 0$

$$u = v = \text{const} \rightarrow f = \text{const}$$

Polar form. $z = r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)$

$$f(z) = u(r, \theta) + iv(r, \theta)$$

$$x = r \cos \theta, y = r \sin \theta. \rightarrow r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}, \theta = \arctan \frac{y}{x}$$

$$r_x = \frac{x}{(x^2 + y^2)^{1/2}} = \frac{x}{r}, \quad r_y = \frac{y}{(x^2 + y^2)^{1/2}} = \frac{y}{r}$$

$$\theta_x = \frac{1}{1 + (y/x)^2} \left(-\frac{y}{x^2}\right) = -\frac{y}{x^2 + y^2} = -\frac{y}{r^2}$$

$$\theta_y = \frac{1}{1 + (y/x)^2} \cdot \frac{1}{x} = \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{x}{r^2}$$

$$u_x = u_r \cdot r_x + u_\theta \cdot \theta_x = \frac{x}{r} \cdot u_r - \frac{y}{r^2} u_\theta.$$

$$u_y = v_r \cdot r_y + v_\theta \cdot \theta_y = \frac{y}{r} \cdot v_r + \frac{x}{r^2} v_\theta.$$

Since $u_x = v_y$ $rx \cdot u_r - yu_\theta = ryv_r + xv_\theta \dots$ a)

$$u_y = u_r \cdot r_y + u_\theta \cdot \theta_y = \frac{y}{r} u_r + \frac{x}{r^2} u_\theta.$$

$$-v_x = -v_r \cdot r_x - v_\theta \cdot \theta_x = -\frac{x}{r} \cdot v_r + \frac{y}{r^2} v_\theta.$$

Since $u_y = -v_x$ $ryu_r + xu_\theta = -rxv_r + yv_\theta \dots$ b)

a) $\times x +$ b) $\times y$ $u_r \cdot r \cdot (x^2 + y^2) = v_\theta (x^2 + y^2)$

$$\therefore u_r = \frac{1}{r} v_\theta$$

a) $\times y -$ b) $\times x$: $-(y^2 + x^2)u_\theta = r(y^2 + x^2)v_r$

$$\therefore v_r = -\frac{1}{r} u_\theta.$$

(7) $u_r = \frac{1}{r} v_\theta, v_r = -\frac{1}{r} u_\theta$ ($r > 0$)

21.3 Laplace's Equation. Harmonic Functions. \Rightarrow (Solution of Laplace's Equation)

Theorem 3 (Laplace's equation)

If $f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$ is analytic in a domain D, then u and v satisfy Laplace's equation.

(8) $\nabla^2 u = u_{xx} + u_{yy} = 0.$

and

(9) $\nabla^2 v = v_{xx} + v_{yy} = 0.$

respectively, in D and have continuous second partial derivatives in D.

Proof.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{i) } & \left. \begin{array}{l} u_x = v_y \Rightarrow u_{xx} = v_{yx} \\ u_y = -v_x \Rightarrow u_{yy} = -v_{yx} \end{array} \right) \Rightarrow u_{xx} + u_{yy} = 0 \\ \text{ii) } & \left. \begin{array}{l} u_x = v_y \Rightarrow u_{xy} = v_{yy} \\ u_y = -v_x \Rightarrow u_{yx} = -v_{xx} \end{array} \right) \Rightarrow v_{xx} + v_{yy} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

If two harmonic functions u and v satisfy the Cauchy-Riemann equations in a domain D , they are the real and imaginary parts of an analytic function f in D .

Then v is said to be a conjugate harmonic function of u in D .

Example 4. How to find a conjugate harmonic function by the Cauchy-Riemann equations.

$$u = x^2 - y^2 - y$$

sol) $u_x = 2x, u_{xx} = 2, u_y = -2y - 1, u_{yy} = -2.$

$$u_{xx} + u_{yy} = 2 - 2 = 0 \quad \therefore \text{harmonic function.}$$

By C-R. $v_y = u_x = 2x, v_x = -u_y = 2y + 1.$

$$v = 2xy + h(x) \Rightarrow v_x = 2y + dh/dx.$$

$$\therefore dh/dx = 1 \Rightarrow h(x) = x + c$$

$$v = 2xy + x + c.$$