# An overview on **COMPLEX ANALYSIS**

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## $\underline{\mathbf{COMPLEX\ NUMBERS}}\quad \mathbb{C} = \{z = x + y\mathbf{i} \mid x, y \in \mathbb{R}\}\$

# Definition. For z = x + y

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$$z = x + yi$$
  $\mathbb{R} \subset \mathbb{C}$ 

 $x \equiv x + 0i$ 

 $\mathfrak{Re}z \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} x$   $\mathfrak{Im}z \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} y$   $\bar{z} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} x - y \mathbf{i}$   $|z| \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$ 

real part of zimaginary part of zcomplex conjugate of zmodulus of z

- Identification  $\mathbb{C} \equiv \mathbb{R}^2$  (as normed spaces and metric spaces).
- $\mathbb{C} \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^2 \\
  x + y \, \mathbf{i} \mapsto (x, y)$

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and 
$$|x+yi| = \sqrt{x^2+y^2} = ||(x,y)||$$

- Distance in  $\mathbb{C}$
- $|z_1-z_2|$  = distance between  $z_1$  and  $z_2$ |z| = distance between z and 0

 $B_r(z_0) = \{z \mid |z - z_0| < r \}$  open ball of center  $z_0$  and radius  $\overline{r}$ .

 $D \subset \mathbb{C}$  is  $\overset{\text{def}}{\Longleftrightarrow}$  for any  $z \in D$  such that  $B_r(z) \subset D$ .

- Convergence to  $\infty$ .  $\lim_{n\to\infty} z_n = \infty \iff \lim_{n\to\infty} |z_n| = \infty$ .
- $\blacksquare$  A fundamental inequality.

For any z = x + yi, we have

$$\begin{vmatrix} |x| \\ |y| \end{vmatrix} \le |x+yi| \le |x|+|y|$$

Convergence of a sequence

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} (x_n + y_n \mathbf{i}) = \alpha + \beta \mathbf{i} \iff \begin{cases} \lim_{n \to \infty} x_n = \alpha \\ \lim_{n \to \infty} y_n = \beta \end{cases}$$

- $\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{I} |z| > 1 \implies \lim_{n \to \infty} z^n = \infty. & |z| < 1 \implies \lim_{n \to \infty} z^n = 0. \\ & |z| < 1 \implies 1 + z + z^2 + \dots = \lim_{n \to \infty} (1 + z + z^2 + \dots + z^n) = \frac{1}{1 z}. \end{aligned}$
- Euler's formula.
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Argument of a complex number.

For  $z \neq 0$   $\arg z \in (-\pi, \pi]$   $z = |z| (\cos(\arg z) + i \sin(\arg z))$ there exists such that  $|z| = |z| e^{i \arg z}$ 

## **COMPLEX FUNCTIONS** (Notation: $\mathbb{C}^* = \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$ )

 $oxed{Complex function} = a complex-valued function.$ 

Examples:  $f: \mathbb{C} \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}$ ,  $f(z) = z^3 = z z z$ ,  $f: \mathbb{C}^* \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}$ ,  $f(z) = \frac{1}{z}$ ,  $\frac{1}{x+y\mathbf{i}} = \frac{x}{x^2+y^2} - \frac{y}{x^2+y^2}\mathbf{i}$   $f: \mathbb{C} \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}$ ,  $f(z) = \mathbf{e}^z$ ,  $\mathbf{e}^{x+y\mathbf{i}} = \mathbf{e}^x \cos y + \mathbf{i} \mathbf{e}^x \sin y$ ,  $f: \mathbb{C} \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}$ ,  $f(z) = \cos z \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \frac{\mathbf{e}^{\mathbf{i}z} + \mathbf{e}^{-\mathbf{i}z}}{2}$ ,  $f: \mathbb{C} \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}$ ,  $f(z) = \sin z \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \frac{\mathbf{e}^{\mathbf{i}z} - \mathbf{e}^{-\mathbf{i}z}}{2\mathbf{i}}$ .

**<u>Definition</u>**. Let  $D \subseteq \mathbb{C}$  be an open set, and  $z_0 \in D$ .

A function  $f:D \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is **complex-differentiable** ( $\mathbb{C}$ -differentiable) at  $z_0$ 

there exists and is finite  $f'(z_0) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \lim_{z \to z_0} \frac{f(z) - f(z_0)}{z - z_0}.$ 

**Theorem** (Cauchy-Riemann).

A function  $f: D \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}$  f(x+yi) = u(x,y) + v(x,y)idefined on an open set  $D \subseteq \mathbb{C} = \mathbb{R}^2$  is  $\mathbb{C}$ -differentiable at  $z_0 \in D$   $u, v: D \longrightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ are differentiable at } (x_0, y_0)$  and satisfy the relations  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x_0, y_0) = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}(x_0, y_0),$   $\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}(x_0, y_0) = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}(x_0, y_0)$ 

If these conditions are satisfied, then  $f'(x_0+y_0i) = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x_0,y_0) + \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}(x_0,y_0)i$ 

#### Definition.

 $f: D \to \mathbb{C}$  defined on an open set D is called  $\mathbb{C}$ -differentiable if (or holomorphic function)

f is  $\mathbb{C}$ -differentiable at any point  $z_0 \in D$ .

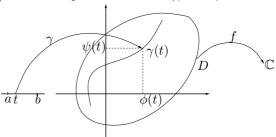
Examples:  $(z^n)' = nz^{n-1}$   $(e^z)' = e^z$   $(\sin z)' = \cos z$ 

#### COMPLEX LINE INTEGRAL

Let  $D \subseteq \mathbb{C}$  be an open set,

 $f:D\longrightarrow \mathbb{C}$  be a continuous function,

 $\gamma : [a, b] \longrightarrow D$  be a path of class  $C^1$  ( $\gamma$  and  $\gamma'$  are continuous).



#### Definition.

The complex line integral of f along  $\gamma$ 

$$\int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = \int_{a}^{b} f(\gamma(t)) \gamma'(t) dt$$

Definition can be extended to the case when  $\gamma$  is piecewise of class  $C^1$ . Definition does not depend on the parametrization of  $\gamma$  we use.

 $g: D \to \mathbb{C}$  is a primitive of f (that is g' = f)  $\Rightarrow \boxed{\int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = g(\gamma(b)) - g(\gamma(a))}$ 

- If  $f: D \to \mathbb{C}$  admits a primitive and  $\gamma$  is closed, then  $\int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = 0$ .
- Definition.

Two paths  $\gamma_0, \gamma_1: [a, b] \to D$  with the same endpoints are **homotopic** in D if one of them can be continuously deformed into the other inside D. Path **homotopic to zero** in D = path homotopic to a constant path.

**Theorem** (Cauchy). For an open set D:

 $\begin{array}{|c|c|}\hline f:D \longrightarrow \mathbb{C} \text{ is a holomorphic function} \\ \gamma:[a,b] \longrightarrow D \text{ is a path homotopic to zero in } D \end{array} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{|c|c|}\hline \int_{\gamma} f(z) \, dz = 0 \end{array}$ 

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 $\Rightarrow \int_{\gamma_0} f(z) dz = \int_{\gamma_1} f(z) dz$ 

**Definition**. Let D be an open set and  $f:D\longrightarrow \mathbb{C}$  holomorphic.

 $z_0\!\in\!\mathbb{C}\backslash D \text{ is } \begin{array}{ll} \text{an } isolated \\ singular \ point \end{array} \text{ if } \begin{array}{ll} \text{there exists } r\!>\!0 \text{ such that} \\ \big\{\,z\mid\,0\!<\!|z\!-\!z_0|\!<\!r\,\big\}\!\subset D. \end{array}$ 

 $z_0\!\in\! D \ \ \text{is} \quad \underset{multiplicity}{\text{a zero of}} \ \ _k \ \ \text{if} \quad f(z_0)\!=\!f'(z_0)\!=\!\dots=\!f^{(k-1)}(z_0)\!=\!0$ 

 $z_0\!\in\!\mathbb{C}\backslash D \text{ is } \begin{array}{ll} \text{a pole of}\\ \text{order } k \text{ of } f \end{array} \text{if } z_0 \text{ is a zero of multiplicity } k \text{ of } \frac{1}{f}.$ 

**Theorem**. Let D be an open set and  $f:D\longrightarrow \mathbb{C}$  holomorphic.

 $z_0$  is a an isolated singular point and  $\{z \mid 0 < |z - z_0| < r\} \subset D$ 

there exists a unique Laurent series such that  $f(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} a_n \ (z-z_0)^n,$  for z satisfying  $0 < |z-z_0| < r$ .

The number  $\mathbf{Res}_{z_0} f \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} a_{-1}$  is the **residue** of f in  $z_0$ .

- $z_0$  pole of order  $k \Rightarrow \begin{cases} f(z) = \frac{a_{-k}}{(z-z_0)^k} + \dots + \frac{a_{-1}}{(z-z_0)} + a_0 + a_1(z-z_0) + \dots \\ \text{and } \mathbf{Res}_{z_0} f = \frac{1}{(k-1)!} \lim_{z \to z_0} \left( (z-z_0)^k f(z) \right)^{(k-1)} \end{cases}$
- **Definition**. (*Index* of a point  $z_0$  with respect to a path).

For a closed path  $\gamma$  not passing through  $z_0$ ,  $n(z_0, \gamma) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \frac{1}{2\pi \mathrm{i}} \int_{\gamma} \frac{1}{z-z_0} dz$  shows how many turns around  $z_0$ ,  $\gamma$  makes.

**Theorem of Residues**. For an open set  $D \subseteq \mathbb{C}$ :

 $f: D \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is an holomorphic function S is the set of isolated singular points  $\gamma: [a,b] \to D$  homotopic to zero in  $D \cup S$ 

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \int f(z)dz = \\ \gamma = 2\pi i \sum_{z \in S} n(z, \gamma) \mathbf{Res}_z f. \end{cases}$$