Math 351 Old Exam Questions

2005-2006 Fall, Midterm 1

- 1. Let $z_1 = 4 3i$, $z_2 = 1 + i$ and $z_3 = -1 + 2i$.
 - (a) Find $|z_1|$.
 - (b) Find $\operatorname{Im}(z_1 z_2)$.
 - (c) Write $\frac{z_1}{z_2\bar{z}_3}$ in the standard form.
- 2. Write $\frac{-2i}{1+i}$ in the exponential form. What is the principal argument?
- 3. Find all roots of the equation $z^3 + 1 = 0$, write them in the standard form and locate them in the complex plane.
- 4. Find the regions in the complex plane in which the following functions are analytic and determine their derivative in those regions.
 - (a) $f(z) = y^2 + ix^2$. (b) $f(z) = \frac{1}{z} + 1$.
- 5. Show that the function $u = x + e^y \cos x$ is harmonic and find its harmonic conjugate.

2005-2006 Fall, Midterm 2

- 1. A polynomial p(z) of degree four has a zero with multiplicity 2 at the point z = -1 and two zeros, each with multiplicity 1, at points z = i and z = -i. Find p(z) if p(1) = 16.
- 2. Write the polynomial $p(z) = z^4 z^2 + z + 1$ in the Taylor form centered at z = -1.
- 3. Find all solutions of the equation $\cos z = \sin z$.
- 4. Solve the equation $\text{Log}(z^2 1) = \frac{i\pi}{2}$ for z.
- 5. Find the principal value of $4^{\frac{1}{2}}$.
- 6. Find the derivative of the principal branch of z^{i+1} at z = i.
- 7. Find all roots of the equation $\cosh z = -2$.

8. Indicate a region in which the function $f(z) = \frac{z^{\frac{1}{2}}}{z^2 + 4}$ is analytic.

2005-2006 Fall, Final

- 1. Let C denote the positively oriented circle $|z + \pi i| = 2$. Use the Cauchy integral formula to evaluate the integral $\int_C \frac{e^z dz}{(z^2 + \pi^2)^2}$.
- 2. Evaluate the contour integral $\int_C 2\bar{z} dz$ where $C = C_1 + L$ is the contour consisting of the parabolic arc $y = x^2$ from the origin z = 0 to the point z = 1 + i, joined by the straight line from the point z = 1 + i to the point z = -1, as shown in the figure below.
- 3. Let C denote the circle $|z z_0| = R$, taken counterclockwise. Use the principal branch of the integrand to evaluate $\int_C (z z_0)^{a-1} dz$ where a is any real number other than zero. What is the value of the integral when $a = 1, 2, 3, \dots$?
- 4. Let *C* denote the circle $|z| = \rho$, $(0 < \rho < 1)$, oriented counterclockwise direction, and suppose that f(z) is analytic in the disk $|z| \le 1$. Show that if $z^{-\frac{1}{2}}$ represents any particular branch of that power of *z*,then there is a nonnegative constant *M*, independent of ρ , such that $\left| \int_C z^{-\frac{1}{2}} f(z) dz \right| \le 2\pi M \sqrt{\rho}$. Thus, show that the value of the integral approaches zero as ρ tends to zero.
- 5. Find all roots of the equation $\sinh z = i$.
- 6. Show that $u(x, y) = \sin x \sinh y$ is harmonic in some domain and find a harmonic conjugate v(x, y).
- 7. Show that the function $f(z) = e^{-\theta} \cos(\ln r) + ie^{-\theta} \sin(\ln r)$, $(r > 0, 0 < \theta < 2\pi)$ is analytic in the indicated domain and satisfies zf'(z) = if(z).

2004-2005 Fall, Midterm 1

- 1. (a) Prove that $\operatorname{Re}(iz) = -\operatorname{Im}(z)$ and $\operatorname{Im}(iz) = \operatorname{Re}(z)$ for any complex number z.
 - (b) If a is a real and z is a complex number, prove $\operatorname{Re}(az) = a \operatorname{Re}(z)$ and $\operatorname{Im}(az) = a \operatorname{Im}(z)$.
 - (c) Prove that $\operatorname{Re} : \mathbb{C} \to \mathbb{R}$ is a linear map.
- 2. (a) Using polar coordinates, prove that $z \to z + \frac{1}{z}$ maps the unit circle |z| = 1 to the interval [-2, 2] on the *x*-axis.
 - (b) Calculate the n^{th} root of the unity. Explain clearly.
- 3. (a) Are the real and imaginary parts of $f(z) = z^4$ harmonic or not? Explain clearly.
 - (b) If f is analytic on $A = \{z \mid \text{Re} \, z > 1\}$ and $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = 0$ on A, then prove f' is constant on A.
- 4. (a) Write the following functions in the form w = u(x, y) + iv(x, y).

i.
$$f(z) = \frac{1}{z}$$
.
ii. $g(z) = \frac{z+i}{z^2+1}$.
(b) If $J(z) = \frac{1}{2}\left(z+\frac{1}{z}\right)$, then calculate $J\left(\frac{1}{z}\right)$. Explain clearly.

2004-2005 Fall, Midterm 2

- 1. Prove that there does not exist an analytic function defined on $\mathbb{C}\setminus\{0\}$ such that $f'(z) = \frac{1}{z}$. Explain clearly.
- 2. (a) Calculate $\int_C z^3 dz$, where C is the portion of the ellipse $x^2 + 4y^2 = 1$, that joins z = 1 to $z = \frac{i}{2}$.
 - (b) Find an upper bound for $\left| \int_C \frac{e^z}{z^2 + 1} dz \right|$, where C is the circle |z| = 2 traversed once in the counterclockwise direction. Explain clearly.
- 3. (a) Prove that $\cosh^2 z \sinh^2 z = 1$.
 - (b) Calculate $\sinh(z_1 + z_2)$.
 - (c) Calculate $\sin(2i)$.
 - Explain clearly.
- 4. (a) Differentiate the following functions, giving the appropriate region on which the functions are analytic.
 - i. e^{e^z} . ii. $\sin(e^z)$
 - (b) Calculate.
 - i. $\log i$.
 - ii. $\log(1-i)$.

2004-2005 Fall, Final

- 1. (a) Prove that $|z_1 z_2 z_3| = |z_1| |z_2| |z_3|$.
 - (b) Calculate $e^{z+\pi i}$.
 - (c) Solve the following equation: $\sin z = 0$.

Explain clearly.

- 2. Evaluate $\int_C \bar{z}^2 dz$ along the two paths joining (0,0) to (1,1) as follows.
 - (a) C is the straight line from (0,0) to (1,1).
 - (b) C is the broken line joining (0,0) to (1,0), then (1,0) to (1,1).

Explain clearly.

3. (a) Prove that
$$\sin^{-1} z = -i \log \left[iz + (1 - z^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} \right]$$

(b) Prove that $\cos^{-1} z = -i \log \left[z + (z^2 - 1)^{\frac{1}{2}} \right]$.

Explain clearly.

- 4. (a) Is f(z) = |z| analytic or not? Explain clearly.
 - (b) Let f be an analytic function on an open connected set A and suppose $f^{(n+1)}(z)$ exists and is 0 on A. Then show that f is a polynomial of degree $\leq n$. Explain clearly.
- 5. Prove that: A map $f : A \to \mathbb{C}$, when A is open, is continuous if and only if for every open set $U \subset \mathbb{C}$, $f^{-1}(U)$ is open. Use this to prove that if $f : A \to \mathbb{C}$ and $g : B \to \mathbb{C}$ are continuous and $f(A) \subset B$, then $g \circ f$ is continuous. Explain clearly.

2003-2004 Fall, Midterm 1

- 1. (a) Express $2i^{27} \frac{5}{i^{127}} + 3i^{-5}$ in the form a + bi. (b) Express $(1 - i)^3$ in the form $re^{i\theta}$.
- 2. Find all the values of $\left(-\frac{1}{2} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i\right)^{\frac{1}{4}}$.
- 3. Sketch the following regions:
 - (a) |z 2 i| < 5(b) $-2 \le \text{Im } z \le 2$
- 4. Find the region where $f(z) = \frac{1}{z+1}$ is analytic by using Cauchy-Riemann equations. Is this function entire?
- 5. (a) Show that the function u = x³ 3xy² 2x² + 2y² + 5x is harmonic.
 (b) Find a harmonic conjugate to u.

2003-2004 Fall, Midterm 2

- 1. Find all values of z which satisfies the equation $\sin z = i$.
- 2. Find the principal value of z^w where z = 16i and $w = \frac{1}{4i}$.
- 3. Let $f(z) = 3 \tanh(2z)$. Find the explicit form of $f^{-1}(z)$.
- 4. Find two different parametrizations for the contour seen in the figure.



5. Evaluate the integral $\int_{\Gamma} (3z + 5\overline{z}) dz$ where Γ is the line segment from origin to 2 + i.

2003-2004 Fall, Final

- 1. Are the following functions entire? Explain.
 - (a) $f(z) = z^2 + \bar{z}$. (b) $g(z) = \frac{1}{1+z^2}$. (c) $h(z) = x^3 - 3xy^2 + 3x^2 - 3y^2 + i(3x^2y - y^3 + 6xy)$
- 2. Find all values of $(-1)^{\frac{1}{6}}$.

- 3. Find all the solutions of the equations
 - (a) $\sinh z = 0$
 - (b) $\cosh z = 0$
- 4. Evaluate the integral $\int_C z^2 dz$ where C is the line segment from origin to 1 + 3i.
- 5. Evaluate the integral $\int_C \frac{1-z^2}{z(1+z^2)} dz$ where C is
 - (a) The circle |z 5 i| = 1.
 - (b) The circle $|z| = \frac{1}{2}$.
- 6. Evaluate the integral $\int_C \frac{dz}{(z^2+9)^2}$ where C is the rectangle with vertices $z_1 = 6$, $z_2 = -6$, $z_3 = -6 6i$, $z_4 = 6 6i$.

Hint: If f is analytic inside and on the simple closed contour Γ and if z is any point inside Γ , then $f^{(n)}(z) = \frac{n!}{2\pi i} \int_{\Gamma} \frac{f(s)}{(s-z)^{n+1}} \, ds.$

2002-2003 Fall, Midterm 1

- 1. Either prove the following claim, or give a counter example: An open set contains no accumulation points.
- 2. Sketch the region |z i| + |z + i| < 5, Im z > -1.
- 3. Evaluate $(-24 24\sqrt{3}i)^{\frac{1}{4}}$.
- 4. Find the image of |z 3| = 1 under the mapping w = 4iz + 2i.

5. Let
$$f(z) = \frac{x^3 + x^2 + xy^2 - y^2 + i(x^2y + 2xy + y^3)}{x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 1}$$
. Is f differentiable?

6. Determine where the derivative of $f(z) = x^2 + iy^2$ exists and evaluate the derivative there.

2002-2003 Fall, Midterm 2

- 1. Show that $u(x,y) = 4x^3y 4xy^3$ is harmonic on any domain and find a harmonic conjugate.
- 2. Find all roots of the equation $e^z = -1 \sqrt{3}i$.
- 3. Find all roots of the equation $\cos z = 2$.
- 4. Find the principal value of $(\sqrt{2} + i\sqrt{2})^{\frac{2}{3}}$.
- 5. Let $z = f(w) = \sinh(2w)$. Find the inverse function $w = f^{-1}(z)$ as an explicit function of z.
- 6. Evaluate $\int_C \frac{dz}{\sqrt{z-i}}$ where C is the circle |z-i| = 4, counterclockwise. Hint: Use the principal branch $-\pi < \theta \le \pi$.

2002-2003 Fall, Final

- 1. Find all the roots of the equation $z^5 + 1 = 0$.
- 2. Is the function $f(z) = \frac{1}{\cosh z}$ entire? Why, why not?
- 3. Find all roots of the equation $\tanh z = \frac{1}{2}$.
- 4. Find the principal value of $(-2\sqrt{3}+2i)^{2-i}$.
- 5. Evaluate the integral $\int_C \bar{z} \, dz$ where C is the part of the curve $y = x^3$ from $z_1 = -2 8i$ to $z_2 = 1 + i$.
- 6. Evaluate $\int_C \frac{z^4 + 64}{z^4 64} dz$ where C is the circle given by (a) C: |z + 5i| = 3.
 - (b) C: |z+5i| = 1.
- 7. Let $P(z) = z + z^2 + z^3$. Show that, when |z| > 2, $|P(z)| < 2|z|^3$.

2001-2002 Summer, Midterm 1

- 1. (a) Evaluate $\sqrt[3]{-27}$.
 - (b) Simplify the expression $\frac{(3-i)(1+i)}{4+2i}$.
- 2. Express $\sin 4\theta$ in terms of $\sin \theta$ and $\cos \theta$.
- 3. Sketch the region |z 2| < 2, Im z < 0.
- 4. Find the image of the line segment x = 4, -1 < y < 1 under the transformation $w = z^2$.
- 5. Find the points where the function $f(z) = |z|^2 + \bar{z}^2$ is differentiable.
- 6. Is the function $f(z) = e^{x^2 y^2} \cos(2xy) + ie^{x^2 y^2} \sin(2xy)$ entire? (analytic everywhere)

2001-2002 Summer, Midterm 2

- 1. Let $u(x,y) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}$. Is *u* harmonic? 2. Let $\tanh z = \frac{1}{3}$. Find *z*.
- 3. Evaluate $\left(\frac{1-i}{1+i}\right)^{2i}$.
- 4. Find real and imaginary parts of $\sin(3+5i)$.
- 5. Let $e^{x+iy} = \text{Log}(\sqrt{2} + i\sqrt{2})$. Find x and y.

2001-2002 Summer, Final

- 1. Evaluate $(-8 8\sqrt{3}i)^{\frac{1}{4}}$.
- 2. Let $f(z) = 1 + x^2 y^2 + 3xy^2 x^3 + i(y^3 3yx^2 + 2xy)$. Is f entire?
- 3. Find the real and imaginary parts of Log(Log(1 + i)).
- 4. Evaluate $(i-1)^{i-1}$.
- 5. Evaluate $\int_C \frac{1}{\sqrt{z-1}} dz$ where C: |z-1| = 1.
- 6. Evaluate $\int_C \frac{z^2 + 1}{(z^2 + 9)(z^2 + 25)} dz$ where C : |z 5i| = 1.

2001-2002 Fall, Midterm 1

- 1. Find all roots of the equation $z^4 + 1 = 0$ in rectangular coordinates, exhibit them geometrically, and point out which is the principal root.
- 2. Show that when $w = f(z) = z^2 = (x^2 y^2) + i(2xy) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$, the image of the closed triangular region

$$S = \{(x, y) \mid 0 \le x \le 1, 0 \le y \le x\}$$

is the closed semiparabolic region

$$S' = \{(u, v) | 0 \le v \le 2, 0 \le u \le 1 - \frac{1}{4}v^2\}$$

Verify the corresponding points on the two boundaries shown in the figure.



3. (a) Give the definition of $\lim_{z \to \infty} f(z) = w_0$, and prove that

$$\lim_{z \to \infty} f(z) = w_0 \quad \text{if and only if} \quad \lim_{z \to 0} f\left(\frac{1}{z}\right) = w_0.$$

(b) Use part (a) to show that when

$$f(z) = \frac{az+b}{cz+d} \quad (ad-bc\neq 0), \quad \lim_{z\to\infty} f(z) = \frac{a}{c} \text{ if } c\neq 0.$$

4. Use the Theorem about the existence of f'(z) to show that the function

$$f(z) = \sin x \cosh y + i \cos x \sinh y$$

has a derivative at every point z = (x, y) and find f'(z).

5. Suppose the component functions u and v of

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

have continuous first-order partial derivatives in a neighborhood $|z - z_0| < \delta$ of a nonzero point $z_0 = r_0 e^{i\theta_0}$. The real and imaginary parts of w = u + iv are expressed in terms of r and θ by means of the coordinate transformation

$$x = r\cos\theta, \ y = r\sin\theta.$$

(a) Use the chain rule to show that

$$u_x = u_r \cos \theta - u_\theta \frac{\sin \theta}{r}, \ u_y = u_r \sin \theta + u_\theta \frac{\cos \theta}{r}$$
(Similarly, then $v_x = v_r \cos \theta - v_\theta \frac{\sin \theta}{r}, \ v_y = v_r \sin \theta + v_\theta \frac{\cos \theta}{r}$)

(b) If the partial derivatives with respect to x and y satisfy the Cauchy-Riemann equations at $z_0 = x_0 + iy_0$

$$u_x = v, u_y = -v_x$$

show that the partial derivatives of u and v with respect to r and θ satisfy the polar form of the Cauchy-Riemann equations at $z_0 = r_0 e^{i\theta_0}$

$$u_r = \frac{1}{r}v_\theta, \ \frac{1}{r}u_\theta = -v_r.$$

Hint: Use part (a).

2001-2002 Fall, Midterm 2

- 1. Let $f(z) = e^{\frac{1}{z}}$.
 - (a) State why f is analytic in any domain D that does not contain the origin.
 - (b) Write f(z) in the form f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y). Why is $\operatorname{Re}(e^{\frac{1}{z}})$ harmonic in any domain D that does not contain the origin? Is $\operatorname{Im}(e^{\frac{1}{z}})$ also harmonic in such a domain?
- 2. (a) Show that $\sin z = -i \sinh(iz)$, $\cos z = \cosh(iz)$.
 - (b) Derive the identity: $|\cosh z|^2 = \sinh^2 x + \cos^2 y$, for all z = x + iy, and use it to find all zeros of $\cosh z$.
- 3. Find all values of $(1-i)^{4i}$ and indicate which one is the principal value.

4. (a) Derive the formula
$$\cos^{-1} z = -i \log[z + i(1 - z^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}].$$

(b) Use the formula in part (a) to find all values of $\cos^{-1}\sqrt{2}$.

5. Let f(z) be the principal branch

$$z^{-1+i} = e^{(-1+i)\log z}$$
 $(|z| > 0, -\pi < \operatorname{Arg} z < \pi)$

of the indicated power function.

- (a) Write f(z) in the form $f(z) = u(r, \theta) + iv(r, \theta)$ for $z = re^{i\theta}$ in the domain D : r > 0, $-\pi < \theta < \pi$ and show that $|f(z)| = \frac{1}{r}e^{-\theta}$.
- (b) Evaluate f'(z).

2001-2002 Fall, Final

1. Let f(z) be the branch

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of the indicated power function.

- (a) Use the parametric representation $z = e^{i\theta}$ $(-\pi \le \theta \le \pi)$ for the unit circle C: |z| = 1 to evaluate the integral $I = \int_{C} f(z) dz$.
- (b) Show that $f(z) = z^{-1+i} = e^{(-1+i)\log z}$ has an antiderivative $F(z) = -iz^i$ in the domain $D: |z| > 0, -\pi < \operatorname{Arg} z < \pi$, and evaluate $\int_C f(z) dz = \int_{-i}^i f(z) dz$ where C is any contour from -i to i that except for its end points, lies in the right half plane x > 0.
- 2. (a) Evaluate $\int_C \frac{1}{z} dz$ on the circle C: |z| = R, taken in the positive sense.
 - (b) Show that the integral of part (a) is 0 for every simple closed contour C not enclosing the origin and not through the origin.
 - (c) Show that $\int_C \frac{1}{z^2} dz = 0$ for every simple closed contour C not through the origin.

Hint: $f(z) = \frac{1}{z^2}$ has an antiderivative $F(z) = -\frac{1}{z}$ in the domain D which consists of all complex numbers $z \neq 0$.

- 3. Let C: |z| = 2, C_1 : $|z 1| = \frac{1}{2}$, and C_2 : $|z + 1| = \frac{1}{2}$, all described in the counterclockwise direction.
 - (a) Apply the extension of the Cauchy-Goursat Theorem to integrals along the boundary of a multiply connected domain to show that

$$\int_C \frac{1}{z^2 - 1} \, dz = \int_{C_1} \frac{1}{z^2 - 1} \, dz + \int_{C_2} \frac{1}{z^2 - 1} \, dz.$$

(b) Evaluate
$$\int_{C_1} \frac{1}{z^2 - 1} dz = \int_{C_1} \frac{1}{z - 1} dz$$
.
(c) Evaluate $\int_{C_2} \frac{1}{z^2 - 1} dz = \int_{C_2} \frac{1}{z - (-1)} dz$.

- (d) Evaluate $\int_C \frac{1}{z^2 1} dz$ by using the parametric representation $z = 2e^{i\theta}$ $(0 \le \theta \le 2\pi)$ for C, and check your answer by the result in part (a).
- 4. Suppose f(z) is entire and there is a nonnegative constant M such that $|f(z)| \leq M$ for all z. Let C be a circle $|z z_0| = R$, taken in the positive sense, where z_0 is any fixed complex number.
 - (a) Show that $|f'(z_0)| = \left|\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{f(z)}{(z-z_0)^2} dz\right| \le \frac{M}{R}, \ R > 0.$
 - (b) Use part (a) to show that $f'(z_0) = 0$ for every complex number z_0 .
 - (c) Give an example of an entire and bounded function in the complex plane.
- 5. Let f be the function $f(z) = e^z$ and R the rectangular region $0 \le x \le 1, 0 \le y \le \pi$.
 - (a) Show that |f(z)| is continuous on R and it takes its maximum value at some point z_0 in R.
 - (b) Illustrate the use of the Maximum Modulus Principle by finding points in R where |f(z)| reaches its maximum value.

2000-2001 Fall, Midterm 1

1. By writing $1 + \sqrt{3}i$ in the exponential form, performing the needed operations, and finally changing back to rectangular coordinates, show that

$$(1+\sqrt{3}i)^{-10} = 2^{-11}(-1+\sqrt{3}i).$$

- 2. Find all roots $(-8 8\sqrt{3}i)^{\frac{1}{4}}$ in rectangular coordinates, exhibit them geometrically, and point out which is the principal root.
- 3. Show, indicating corresponding orientations, that the mapping $w = f(z) = z^2$ transforms lines $y = c \ (c > 0)$ into parabolas $v^2 = 4c^2(u + c^2)$, all with foci at w = 0.
- 4. Show that the function $f(z) = e^y(\cos x i \sin x)$ is differentiable at every point z = x + iy = (x, y), and evaluate f'(z).
- 5. Suppose that the function $f(z) = u(r, \theta) + iv(r, \theta)$ has the derivative f'(z) at (r, θ) so that the polar form of the Cauchy-Riemann equations

$$u_r = \frac{1}{r} v_\theta, \ \frac{1}{r} u_\theta = -v_r$$

are satisfied, by the partial derivatives of u and v, at (r, θ) . Show that

$$u_x = u_r \cos\theta - u_\theta \frac{\sin\theta}{r}, \qquad u_y = u_r \sin\theta + u_\theta \frac{\cos\theta}{r}$$
$$v_x = v_r \cos\theta - v_\theta \frac{\sin\theta}{r}, \qquad v_y = v_r \sin\theta + v_\theta \frac{\cos\theta}{r}$$

Then use this equations to show that the partial derivatives satisfy the Cauchy-Riemann equations in Cartesian coordinates $u_x = v_y$, $u_y = -v_x$ at z = (x, y).

2000-2001 Fall, Midterm 2

1. (a) Show in two ways that $u(x,y) = \frac{y}{x^2 + y^2}$ is harmonic in any domain D which doesn't contain 0 = (0,0). (Hint: Show that u(x,y) = Re[f(z)], where $f(z) = \frac{i}{z}$.)

(b) Find a harmonic function conjugate v(x,y) of $u(x,y) = \frac{y}{x^2 + y^2}$.

2. (a) Use the reflection principle to show that

$$\overline{\sinh z} = \sinh \bar{z}$$
 for all z

- (b) Show that $\sinh z = \sinh x \cos y + i \cosh x \sin y$, where z = x + iy. Find all roots of the equation $\sinh z = i$ by equating real parts and imaginary parts in that equation.
- 3. (a) Show that $\cos z = \cos x \cosh y i \sin x \sinh y$, where z = x + iy. With the aid of the identity above show that $\sin x \sinh y$ is everywhere harmonic.
 - (b) Solve the equation $\cos z = \sqrt{2}$ for z, by using the identity obtained in part (a).
- 4. Find all values of the following powers:

(a)
$$\left(\frac{1-i}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^{1+i}$$
,
(b) i^i .

5. Let f(z) be the principal branch

$$z^{-1+i} = e^{(-1+i)\log z}$$
 $(|z| > 0, -\pi < \operatorname{Arg} z < \pi)$

of the indicated power function, and let C be the positively oriented unit circle |z| = 1. Use a parametric representation for C to evaluate the integral $I = \int_C f(z) dz$.

2000-2001 Fall, Final

- 1. Apply the Cauchy-Goursat Theorem to show that $\int_C f(z) dz = 0$ when the contour C is the circle |z| = 1, in either direction, and when
 - (a) f(z) = Log(z+2). (Hint: Show that f(z) is analytic everywhere except on the half line $x \leq -2, y = 0$.)
 - (b) $f(z) = \tan z$. (Hint: Show that none of the singularities of f(z) lies within and on C.)
- 2. (a) Let C denote the positively oriented boundary of the square region R bounded by the lines $x = \pm 2$, and $y = \pm 2$. Evaluate the integral:

$$\int_C \frac{\cos z}{z(z^2+8)} \, dz.$$

(Hint: Show that $f(z) = \frac{\cos z}{z^2 + 8}$ is analytic inside and on C.)

(b) Find the value of the integral $\int_C \frac{1}{(z^2+4)^2} dz$, where C is the circle |z-i| = 2 in the positive sense.

(Hint: Show that $f(z) = \frac{1}{(z+2i)^2}$ is analytic within and on *C*, and then evaluate $\int_C \frac{f(z)}{(z-2i)^2} dz$.)

3. (a) Suppose that z = z(t), $a \le t \le b$, represents contour C, extending from a point $z_1 = z(a)$ to a point $z_2 = z(b)$. Let the function f(z) be piecewise continuous on C. Let L be the length of C, and M be the maximum of |f(z)| on C. Show that

$$\left| \int_C f(z) \, dz \right| \le ML.$$

(b) Let z_0 be a fixed point in the plane. If f(z) is analytic within and on a circle $C : |z - z_0| = R$, taken in the positive sense we know that

$$f^{(n)}(z_0) = \frac{n!}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{f(z)}{(z-z_0)^{n+1}} \, dz, \ n = 0, 1, 2, \cdots.$$

Let M_R be the maximum of |f(z)| on C. Apply the inequality in part (a) to obtain the Cauchy's inequality:

$$|f^{(n)}(z_0)| \le \frac{n!M_R}{R^n}$$
 $(n = 0, 1, 2, \cdots.)$

- 4. (a) State the Liouville's Theorem.
 - (b) Suppose that f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y) is entire and that u(x, y) has an upper bound; that is, $u(x, y) \leq u_0$ for all points (x, y) in the xy-plane. Show that u(x, y) must be constant throughout the plane.

(Hint: Apply Liouville's Theorem to the function $g(z) = e^{f(z)}$.)

- 5. (a) State the Theorem which is known as the Maximum Modulus Principle.
 - (b) Let a function f be continuous in a closed and bounded region R, and let it be analytic and not constant throughout the interior of R. Assuming that $f(z) \neq 0$ anywhere in R, prove that |f(z)| has a minimum value in R which occurs on the boundary of R and never in the interior.

(Hint: Apply the Corollary of the Maximum Modulus Principle to the function $g(z) = \frac{1}{f(z)}$.)

1999-2000 Fall, Midterm 1

1. (a) Simplify $\frac{2}{(1-i)(3-i)(i+2)}$.

(b) Show that $|z_1z_2| = |z_1||z_2|$ where z_1 and z_2 are any two complex numbers.

- 2. (a) Find all the roots of $z^4 = -2(1 + \sqrt{3}i)$.
 - (b) Write the de Moivre's formula, then use it to prove any trigonometric formula you like.
- 3. (a) Write the Cauchy-Riemann equations in Cartesian coordinates for the function f(z).
 - (b) Derive the Cauchy-Riemann equations in polar coordinates for the function f(z) assuming that f'(z) exists at any point z_0 .
- 4. (a) Give an example of a function of two variables u(x, y) that is polynomial in x and y of degree at least three and is harmonic.
 - (b) Find a harmonic conjugate of u(x, y) obtained in part (a).

1999-2000 Fall, Midterm 2

- 1. Evaluate $\int_C \pi e^{\pi \bar{z}} dz$, where C is the boundary of the square with vertices at the points 0, 1, 1 + i and i, the orientation of C being in the counterclockwise direction.
- 2. (a) Find all the values of $\sinh^{-1}(i)$.
 - (b) Show that $\sin^{-1}(-i) = n\pi + i(-1)^{n+1}\ln(1+\sqrt{2}), \ n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \cdots$.
- 3. (a) Show that

 $\cos z = \cos x \cosh y - i \sin x \sinh y$ and $\sin z = \sin x \cosh y - i \cos x \sinh y$.

(b) Show that

$$|\cos z|^2 = \cos^2 x + \sinh^2 y$$
 and $|\sin z|^2 = \sin^2 x + \sinh^2 y$.

- 4. (a) Show that $(1+i)^{2-i} = 2e^{\frac{\pi}{4} \pm 2n\pi} \left[\sin\left(\frac{1}{2}\ln 2\right) + i\cos\left(\frac{1}{2}\ln 2\right) \right].$
 - (b) (Cauchy's integral formula) Let f(z) be analytic in a simply connected domain D. Then for any point z_0 in D and any simple closed path C in D that encloses z_0

$$\int_C \frac{f(z)}{z - z_0} \, dz = 2\pi i f(z_0),$$

where the integration being taken counterclockwise. Use Cauchy formula to evaluate $\int_C \frac{z^2 + 1}{z^2 - 1} dz$, where C is the circle |z - 1| = 1 in the counterclockwise direction.

1999-2000 Fall, Final

- 1. Show that when $|z_3| \neq |z_4|, \left|\frac{z_1+z_2}{z_3+z_4}\right| \leq \frac{|z_1|+|z_2|}{||z_3|-|z_4||}.$
- 2. Find the four roots of the equation $z^4 + 4 = 0$ and use them to factor $z^4 + 4$ into quadratic factors with real coefficients.
- 3. Solve the equation $\cos z = \sqrt{2}$ for z.
- 4. Show that $\text{Log}(1+i)^2 = 2 \text{Log}(1+i)$ but that $\text{Log}(-1+i)^2 \neq 2 \text{Log}(-1+i)$.
- 5. Show that $|p_n(x)| \leq 1$ for all $x \in [-1, 1]$, where

$$p_n(x) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} [x + i\sqrt{1 - x^2}\cos\theta]^n \, d\theta, \ n = 0, 1, 2, \cdots.$$

- 6. Use the Cauchy-Goursat theorem to show that $\int_C \frac{dz}{z^2 + 2z + 2} = 0$, where the contour C is the circle |z| = 1.
- 7. Let C denote the boundary of the square whose sides along the lines $x = \pm 2$ and $y = \pm 2$ in the positive sense. Evaluate.

(a)
$$\int_C \frac{\cos z}{z(z^2+8)} \, dz.$$

(b)
$$\int_C \frac{\sin z}{(z-3)(z+i)^2} dz.$$

8. Show that $e^{nz} = (\cosh z + \sinh z)^n = \cosh nz + \sinh nz$. Then use this to find formulas for $\cosh 2z$ and $\sinh 2z$ in terms of $\sinh z$ and $\cosh z$.

9. Prove that $\cos \theta + \cos 3\theta + \cos 5\theta + \dots + \cos(2n-1)\theta = \frac{\sin 2n\theta}{2\sin \theta}$.

10. (a) State Morera's theorem.

(b) Evaluate
$$\left| \frac{\sqrt{5} + 3i}{1 - i} \right|$$
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