Complex Analysis — Homework 5

- 1. Find a power series expansion for e^z about any point $a \in \mathbb{C}$.
- 2. Find a power series expansion for 1/z around z = 1 + i.
- 3. f is called an odd function if f(-z) = -f(z) for all z; f is called **even** if f(z) = f(-z) for all z.
 - (a) Show that an odd entire function has only odd terms in its power series expansion about z = 0.
 - (b) Show that an even entire function has only even terms in its power series expansion about z = 0.
- 4. Show that

$$f^{(k)}(a) = \frac{k!}{2\pi i} \int_C \frac{f(\omega)}{(\omega - a)^{k+1}} d\omega, \quad k = 1, 2, \cdots$$

where C is a circle surrounding the point a and f is entire.

5. (a) Suppose an entire function f is bounded by M along |z| = R. Show that the coefficients C_k in its power series expansion about 0 satisfy

$$|C_k| \le \frac{M}{R^k}$$

- (b) Suppose a polynomial is bounded by 1 in the unit disc. Show that all its coefficients are bounded by 1.
- (c) (An alternative proof of Liouville's Theorem) Suppose that $|f(z)| \leq A + B|z|^k$ and that f is entire. Show that all the coefficients C_j , j > k, in its power series expansion are 0.
- 6. Prove that a nonconstant entire function *cannot* satisfy the two equations

i.
$$f(z+1) = f(z)$$

ii.
$$f(z+i) = f(z)$$

for all z.

- 7. A **real polynomial** is a polynomial whose coefficients are all real. Show that every real polynomial is equal to a product of real linear and quadratic polynomials.
- 8. Suppose P is a polynomial (with complex coefficients) such that P(z) is real if and only if z is real. Prove that P is linear.
- 9. Show that if f is analytic in |z| < 2, there must be some positive integer n such that $f(1/n) \neq 1/(n+1)$.