

# Complex Analysis 5/12

## Remarks

- The <sup>last</sup> method on Monday works for
 
$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{P(x)}{Q(x)} \cos x \, dx, \quad \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{P(x)}{Q(x)} \sin x \, dx$$
 when  $\deg Q > \deg P$ ,  $Q(x) \neq 0 \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$ .

- If  $Q(x)$  and  $\cos x$  (resp.  $Q(x)$  and  $\sin x$ ) have a common simple zero, one can modify the method by considering

$$\frac{P(x)}{Q(x)} (e^{iz} \pm i) \quad (\text{resp. } \frac{P(x)}{Q(x)} (e^{iz} \pm 1))$$

## Example

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\sin x}{x} \, dx = ?$$

sol

at  $x=0$ ,  $\frac{1}{0}$ , NOT good!!

Note that

$$\frac{\sin x}{x} = \text{Im} \frac{e^{ix}}{x} = \text{Im} \frac{e^{ix} - 1}{x} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{at } x=0 \end{matrix}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{e^{iz} - 1}{z} &= \frac{1}{z} \left( \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} (iz)^n - 1 \right) \quad \forall z \neq 0 \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(i)^n}{z^{n-1}} = i - \frac{z}{2} + \dots \end{aligned}$$

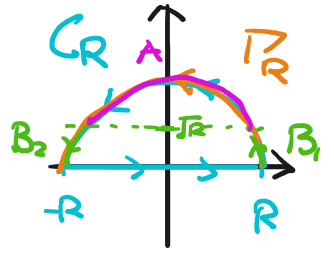
NO  $\frac{1}{z^k}$  terms  $k > 1$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n!} \dots$$

"is" entire (0 is removable singularity)

$$\Rightarrow \int_{C_R} \frac{e^{iz} - 1}{z} dz = 0$$

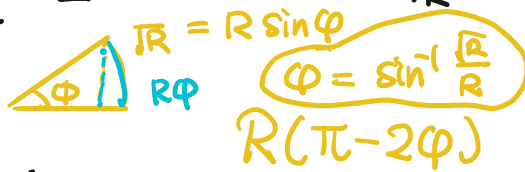
$$= \int_{-R}^R \frac{e^{ix} - 1}{x} dx + \int_{\Gamma_R} \frac{e^{iz} - 1}{z} dz$$



$$\Rightarrow \int_{-R}^R \frac{e^{ix} - 1}{x} dx = - \int_{\Gamma_R} \frac{e^{iz} - 1}{z} dz$$

$$= \int_{\Gamma_R} \frac{1}{z} dz - \int_{\Gamma_R} \frac{e^{iz}}{z} dz$$

Note that



$$\frac{e^{-\text{Im}z}}{R} \leq \frac{e^{-\sqrt{R}}}{R}$$

$$\left| \int_A \frac{e^{iz}}{z} dz \right| < \underbrace{\text{length}(A)}_{\frac{2}{\sin \phi}} \cdot \sup_{z \in A} \left| \frac{e^{iz}}{z} \right|$$

$\frac{R \sin \phi}{R \phi} = \frac{\sin \phi}{\phi} \geq \frac{\sin \phi}{\frac{\pi}{2}}$   
 $\Rightarrow R \phi \leq \frac{\pi}{2} R$   
 $\frac{2}{\sin \phi} \leq \frac{2}{\frac{\pi}{2}} = \frac{4}{\pi}$   
 $R \cdot \phi \leq \frac{\pi}{2} \sqrt{R}$   
 $\frac{e^{-\text{Im}z}}{R} \leq \frac{1}{R}$

$$\left| \int_B \frac{e^{iz}}{z} dz \right| \leq \underbrace{\text{length}(B)}_{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cdot \sup_{z \in B} \left| \frac{e^{iz}}{z} \right|$$

$$\leq \frac{\pi}{2} \frac{1}{\sqrt{R}} \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } R \rightarrow \infty$$

Similarly,  $iz$

$$|\int_{B_R} \frac{e}{z} dz| \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } R \rightarrow \infty$$

$$S_0 \int_{\Gamma_R} \frac{e^{iz}}{z} dz \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } R \rightarrow \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^{ix} - 1}{x} dx = \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \int_{-R}^R \frac{e^{ix} - 1}{x} dx = 0 \quad \text{as } R \rightarrow \infty$$

$$= \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \left( \int_{\Gamma_R} \frac{1}{z} dz - \int_{\Gamma_R} \frac{e^{iz}}{z} dz \right) = \pi i$$

$$\Gamma_R: RE^{i\theta}, \quad \theta \in [0, \pi]$$

$$= \int_0^\pi \frac{1}{RE^{i\theta}} iRE^{i\theta} d\theta = \pi i$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx = \text{Im} \left( \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^{ix} - 1}{x} dx \right)$$

$$= \text{Im}(\pi i) = \pi. \quad \#$$

$$\text{III. } \int_0^\infty \frac{P(x)}{Q(x)} dx$$

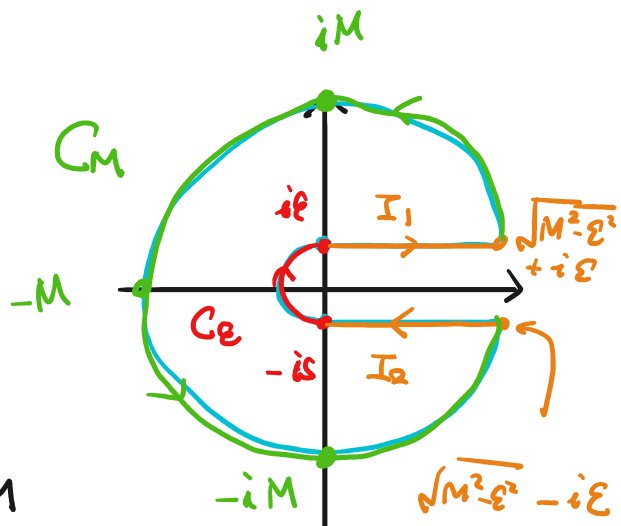
Example  $\int_0^\infty \frac{dx}{1+x^3} = ?$

sol

Let

$$K_{\epsilon, M} = C_\epsilon \cup I_1 \cup I_2 \cup C_M$$

be the curve as in the diagram



Note that  $\log z$  can be defined on

$$\mathbb{C} - \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0} = \mathbb{C} - \{x \in \mathbb{R} : x \geq 0\}$$

(Choose  $0 < \text{Arg } z < 2\pi$ )

Consider

$$\int_{K_{\epsilon, M}} \frac{1}{1+z^3} \log z \, dz$$

(i) Since  $\frac{1}{1+z^3}$  is continuous at  $z=0$ ,  
 $\exists \delta_0 > 0, A > 0$  s.t.

$$\left| \frac{1}{1+z^3} \right| \leq A \quad \forall |z| < \delta_0$$

Also note that for  $z \in C_\epsilon$ ,

$$|\log z| = |\log \epsilon e^{i\theta}| = |\log \epsilon + i\theta|$$

$$\leq |\log \epsilon| + 2\pi$$

$$A(|\log \epsilon| + 2\pi)$$

$$\Rightarrow \forall \epsilon < \delta_0,$$

$$\left| \int_{C_\epsilon} \frac{\log z}{1+z^3} dz \right| \leq \underbrace{\text{length}(C_\epsilon)}_{\pi \epsilon} \cdot \sup_{z \in C_\epsilon} \left| \frac{\log z}{1+z^3} \right|$$

$$\leq \pi \epsilon \cdot A \cdot (|\log \epsilon| + 2\pi) \rightarrow 0$$

as  $\epsilon \rightarrow 0$

(ii) For  $z \in C_M$ ,

$$\left| \frac{\log z}{1+z^3} \right| \leq \frac{|\log M| + 2\pi}{M^3 - 1}$$

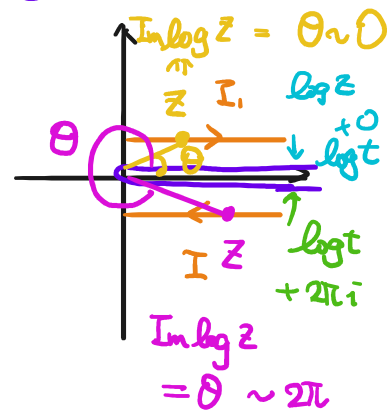
$$\Rightarrow \left| \int_{C_M} \frac{\log z}{z^3+1} dz \right| \leq 2\pi M \cdot \frac{|\log M| + 2\pi}{M^3-1} \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } M \rightarrow \infty$$

(iii)  $\int_{I_1} \frac{\log z}{z^3+1} dz$   $I_1: i\epsilon+t, 0 \leq t \leq \sqrt{M^2-\epsilon^2}$

$$= \int_0^{\sqrt{M^2-\epsilon^2}} \frac{\log(i\epsilon+t)}{(i\epsilon+t)^3+1} dt$$

exer  $\rightarrow$   $\left[ \begin{array}{l} \text{as } \epsilon \rightarrow 0 \\ \rightarrow \\ \int_0^M \frac{\log t}{t^3+1} dt \\ \text{as } M \rightarrow \infty \\ \rightarrow \\ \int_0^\infty \frac{\log t}{t^3+1} dt \end{array} \right.$

$\text{Im}(\log z)$   
 $\downarrow$   
 $0 < \text{Arg } z < 2\pi$   
 $\log z$  on  $\mathbb{C} - \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}$



But  $\int_{I_2} \frac{\log z}{z^3+1} dz$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{as } \epsilon \rightarrow 0} - \int_0^M \frac{\log t + 2\pi i}{t^3+1} dt$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{as } M \rightarrow \infty} - \int_0^\infty \frac{\log t + 2\pi i}{t^3+1} dt$$

Therefore,

$$\int_{K_{M,\epsilon}} \frac{\log z}{z^3+1} dz \rightarrow -2\pi i \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{t^3+1} dt$$

as  $M \rightarrow \infty$   
 $\epsilon \rightarrow 0$

② Note that  $z^3 + 1$  has 3 zeros:  $e^{i\frac{\pi}{3}}$ ,  $e^{i\pi}$ ,  $e^{i\frac{5\pi}{3}}$

$$\text{Res}\left(\frac{\log z}{1+z^3}; e^{i\frac{\pi}{3}}\right) = \frac{\log z}{3z^2} \Big|_{e^{i\frac{\pi}{3}}} = \frac{e^{i\pi}}{9} \left(\frac{-1}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i\right)$$

$\text{Res}\left(\frac{g}{f}; z_0\right)$   
 $f$  has a simple zero at  $z_0$   
 $g(z_0) \neq 0$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Res}\left(\frac{g}{f}; z_0\right) = \frac{g(z_0)}{f'(z_0)}$$

$$\text{Res}\left(\frac{\log z}{1+z^3}; e^{i\pi}\right) = \frac{\log z}{3z^2} \Big|_{e^{i\pi}} = \frac{i\pi}{3}$$

$$\text{Res}\left(\frac{\log z}{1+z^3}; e^{i\frac{5\pi}{3}}\right) = \frac{\log z}{3z^2} \Big|_{e^{i\frac{5\pi}{3}}} = \frac{5\pi}{9} i \left(\frac{-1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i\right)$$

So, by Residue Thm, for  $M$  large,  $\epsilon$  small,

$$\int_{K_{M,\epsilon}} \frac{\log z}{z^3+1} dz = 2\pi i \left( \frac{i\pi}{9} \left(\frac{-1}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i\right) + \frac{i\pi}{3} + \frac{i5\pi}{9} \left(\frac{-1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i\right) \right)$$

$$= -\frac{2\pi}{9} \sqrt{3} \cdot 2\pi i$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{by } \textcircled{1}} -2\pi i \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{x^3+1} dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{x^3+1} dx = \frac{2\pi}{9} \sqrt{3} \quad \#$$

### Remark

• The above method works for

$$\int_a^\infty \frac{P(x)}{Q(x)} dx,$$

$$\deg Q - \deg P \geq 2$$

$$Q(x) \neq 0 \quad \forall x \in [a, \infty)$$

Consider  $\frac{P(z)}{Q(z)} \log(z-a)$

- This method also applies to  $\int_0^{\infty} \frac{x^{\alpha-1}}{P(x)} dx$   
 $\deg P \geq 1, 0 < \alpha < 1, P(x) \neq 0 \quad \forall x \in [0, \infty)$

Example  $\int_0^{\infty} \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x}(1+x)} = ? \quad (\alpha = \frac{1}{2})$

sol

Let  $K_{M,\epsilon}$  be as in the previous example.

Consider

$$\sqrt{z} = e^{\frac{1}{2} \log z} \quad (0 < \text{Arg } z < 2\pi)$$

$2\pi i$  difference

is analytic in  $\mathbb{C} - \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}$

Similar as in the previous example, one can show

$$\int_{C_\epsilon} \frac{dz}{\sqrt{z}(1+z)} \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } \epsilon \rightarrow 0$$

$$\int_{C_M} \frac{dz}{\sqrt{z}(1+z)} \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } M \rightarrow \infty$$

$$\int_{I_1 \cup I_2} \frac{dz}{\sqrt{z}(1+z)} \rightarrow \left(1 - e^{\frac{-1}{2}(2\pi i)}\right) \int_0^{\infty} \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x}(1+x)}$$

$$= 2 \int_0^{\infty} \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x}(1+x)}$$

By Residue Thm, for  $M$  large,  $\epsilon$  small,

$$\int_{I_1 \cup I_2} \frac{dz}{\sqrt{z}(1+z)} = 2\pi i \cdot \text{Res}_{z=-1} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{z}(1+z)} \right)$$

$$\int_{K_{e,M}} \sqrt{z} (1+z) dz = 2\pi i \operatorname{Res} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{z} (1+z)} \right)$$

$$= 2\pi i \frac{z^{-\frac{1}{2}}}{(1+z)'} \Big|_{z=-1} = 2\pi$$

$$\longrightarrow 2 \int_0^{\infty} \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x}(1+x)}$$

$$\text{So } \int_0^{\infty} \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x}(1+x)} = \pi \quad \#$$