

Monday 9/26 : Finish §2.3

On Friday we proved the local antidifferentiation result:

Theorem 1: If $f: D(z_0, r) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ is complex differentiable ($\forall z \in D(z_0, r)$)
then $\exists$ antiderivative $F(z)$ ($F' = f \forall z \in D$).

This followed from the rectangle lemma

Lemma $\forall R = [a, b] \times [c, d] \subset D(z_0, r)$
 $\gamma = \partial R$

Then $\oint_{\gamma} f(z) dz = 0$

We used the differentiability of f to deduce the rectangle lemma,
but once we knew the rectangle lemma, we only needed the
continuity of f to construct F . (This will be important in §2.4)

Today we will use Theorem 1 to prove

defined precisely on
page 3 today

Theorem 2 (Antiderivative Theorem) Let A be open and simply connected.

Let $f: A \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ be complex differentiable ($\forall z \in A$).

Then $\exists$ antiderivative $F: A \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, $F' = f$. Cor

Theorem 3 (Deformation Theorem) Let A be an open set (not necessarily simply connected)

Let $f: A \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ complex differentiable.

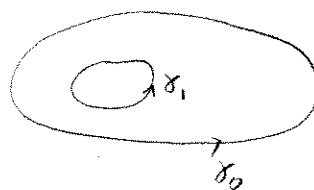
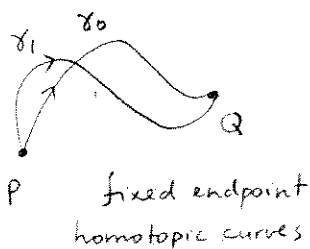
Let γ_0, γ_1 piecewise C^1 curves which are homotopic in A

(a) If they are homotopic with fixed endpoints

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or
(b) if they are homotopic as closed curves,
then

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

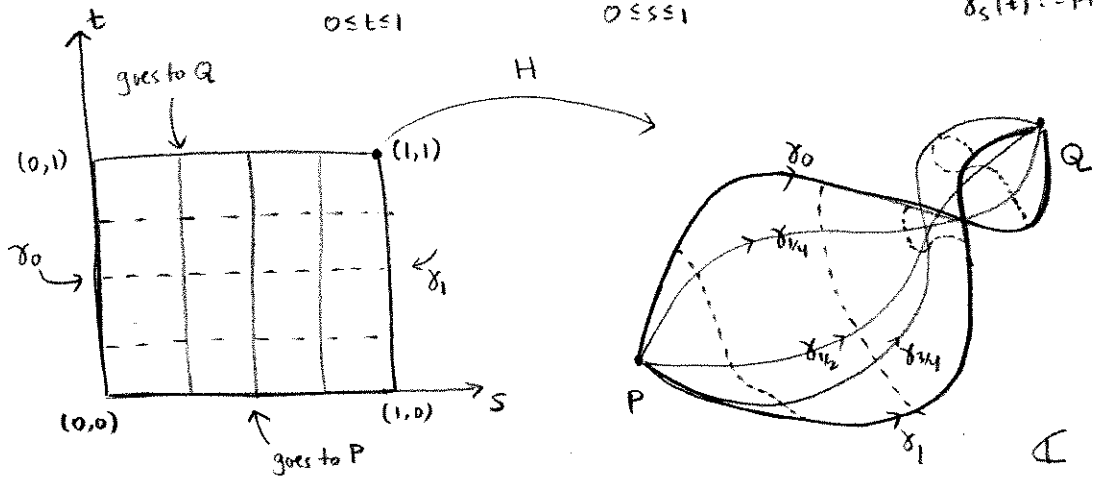


Def: Let $\gamma_0: [0,1] \rightarrow A \subset \mathbb{C}$, $\gamma_0(0)=P$, $\gamma_0(1)=Q$
 $\gamma_1: [0,1] \rightarrow A \subset \mathbb{C}$, $\gamma_1(0)=P$, $\gamma_1(1)=Q$

Then γ_0, γ_1 are homotopic in A, with fixed endpoints, if
 $\exists$ a continuous $H: [0,1] \times [0,1] \rightarrow A$ (called the homotopy)
 s.t.

$$\begin{aligned} H(0,t) &= \gamma_0(t) & H(s,0) &= P \\ H(1,t) &= \gamma_1(t) & H(s,1) &= Q \end{aligned} \quad 0 \leq t \leq 1 \quad 0 \leq s \leq 1$$

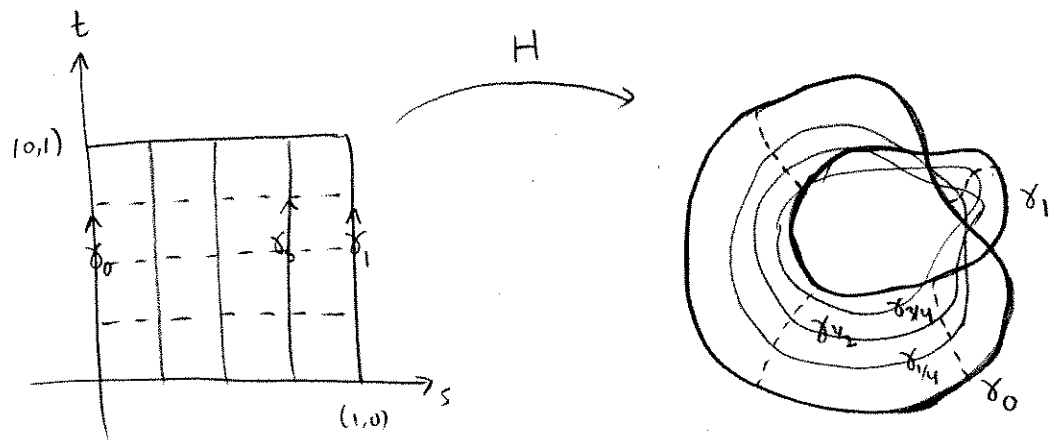
family of curves
 $\gamma_s(t) := H(s,t)$



Def Let γ_0, γ_1 as above, except that they are closed curves, $\gamma_0(0)=\gamma_0(1)=P$
 $\gamma_1(0)=\gamma_1(1)=Q$

Then γ_0, γ_1 are homotopic in A as closed curves
 if $\exists$ continuous homotopy $H: [0,1] \times [0,1] \rightarrow A$
 s.t.

$$H(s,0) = H(s,1) \quad , \text{ i.e. each } \gamma_s(t) = H(s,t) \text{ is closed.} \quad 0 \leq s \leq 1$$



Def A connected openset A is simply connected

iff every closed curve $\gamma: [0,1] \rightarrow A$ is homotopic as a closed curve to some point $z_0 \in A$, i.e.

$\exists H: [0,1] \times [0,1] \rightarrow A$ continuous

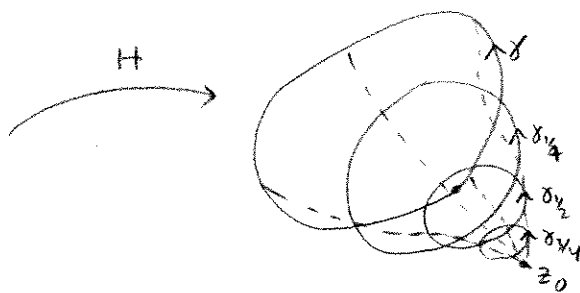
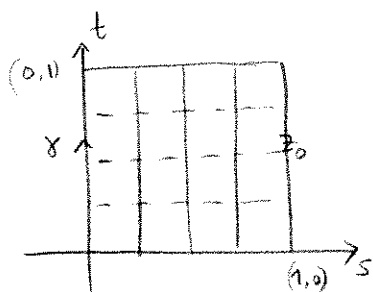
$$H(0,t) = \gamma(t)$$

$$H(1,t) = z_0$$

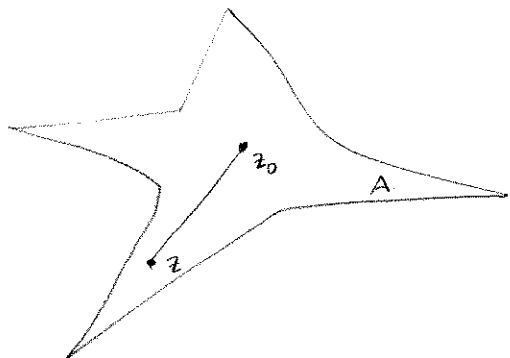
$$0 \leq t \leq 1$$

$$H(s,0) = H(s,1)$$

$$0 \leq s \leq 1$$



Example A is called starshaped iff $\exists z_0 \in A$ s.t. $\forall z \in A, 0 \leq s \leq 1$
 $(1-s)z + sz_0 \in A$



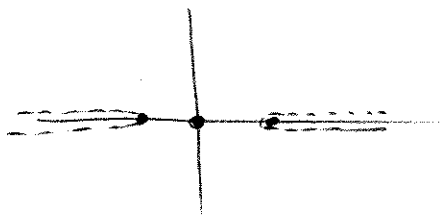
If A is starshaped and $\gamma: [0,1] \rightarrow A$
 define

$$H(s,t) = (1-s)\gamma(t) + sz_0;$$

shrinks γ to z_0 as $0 \leq s \leq 1$.

so starshaped domains are simply connected.

example domain of our old friend $\sqrt{z^2-1}$
 is starshaped wrt 0.



Let's now prove our theorem!

Theorem 2 (Antidifferentiation) follows from Theorem 3b as follows:

Let A be simply connected, $f: A \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ analytic. We will show path independence, which we know implies $\exists F$.

$$\text{Let } \gamma_1: [a, b] \rightarrow A \quad \gamma_1(a) = \gamma_2(c) = P \\ \gamma_2: [c, d] \rightarrow A \quad \gamma_1(b) = \gamma_2(d) = Q$$

Let $\gamma = \gamma_1 - \gamma_2$, suitably reparameterized so $\gamma: [0, 1] \rightarrow A$

Then γ is closed since $\gamma(0) = \gamma(1) = P$

Since A is simply connected γ is homotopic to z_0 in A (as closed curves)

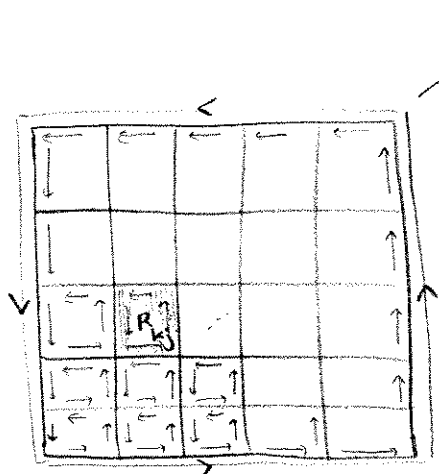
$$\text{Thm 3b} \Rightarrow \int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = \int_{z_0} f(z) dz = 0 \quad (dz=0!)$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{\gamma_1} f(z) dz - \int_{\gamma_2} f(z) dz = 0 \quad \blacksquare$$

notice, we only need
contour integrals over closed
curves = 0 to deduce
full path ind. (& antideriv)

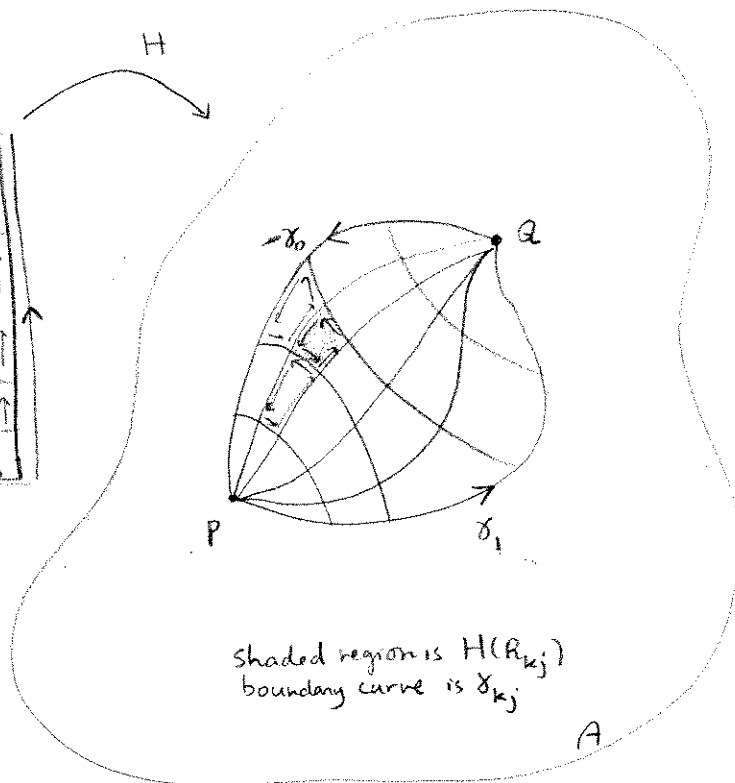
Now for the deformation thm!

Here's the picture - let's fill in the words...



$R = [0, 1] \times [0, 1]$
 $\gamma = H(\partial R)$,
 oriented
 counterclockwise
 subrectangles R_{kj}
 $\gamma_{kj} = H(\partial R_{kj})$ (c.c. orient)

picture for
fixed pt
homotopy



shaded region is $H(R_{kj})$
 boundary curve is γ_{kj}

Claim $\int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = 0$, for both fixed pt & closed curve homotopies

Justify the claim:

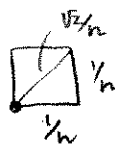
$$(1) \int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = \sum_{k,j} \int_{\gamma_{kj}} f(z) dz \quad (\text{interior cancellation})$$

We will show that for a fine enough partition of $[0,1] \times [0,1]$ each $\int_{\gamma_{kj}} f(z) dz = 0$, using Theorem 1 (local antiderivative), and analysis:

(2) $H([0,1] \times [0,1])$ is compact subset of A so
 $\exists \varepsilon > 0$ s.t. $D(z, \varepsilon) \subset A \quad \forall z \in H([0,1] \times [0,1])$
pf: (3220, see page 52 of text)

(3) H is continuous on a compact set so it is uniformly continuous
 Thus for ε in (2) $\exists \delta$ s.t. $\|(s,t) - (s',t')\| < \delta \Rightarrow |H(s,t) - H(s',t')| < \varepsilon$

(4) partition $[0,1] \times [0,1]$ into n^2 squares, $\Delta s = \Delta t = \frac{1}{n}$.



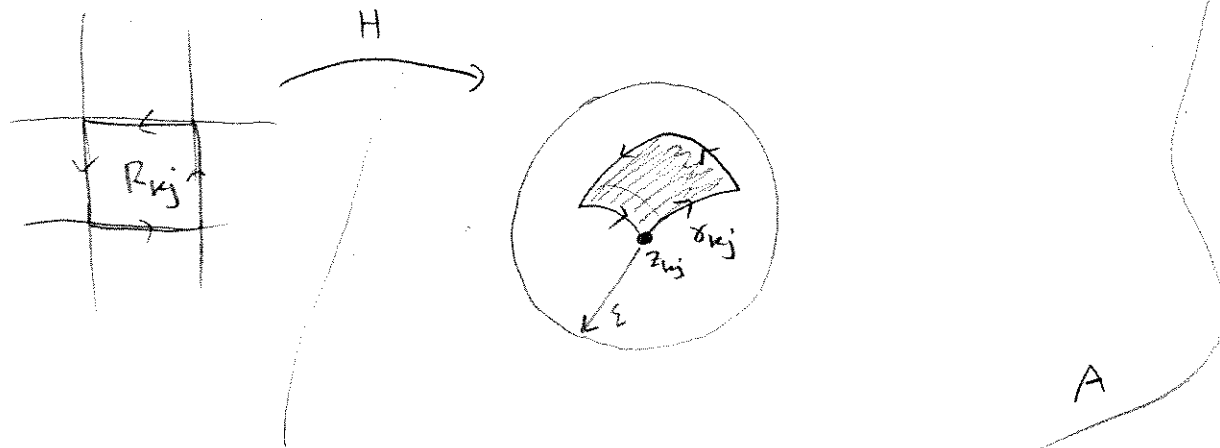
pick n large s.t. $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{n} < \delta$ in (3)

$\Rightarrow$ each $H(R_{kj}) \subset D(z_{kj}, \varepsilon)$, $z_{kj} = H(s_k, t_j)$

(5) By local antiderivative thm in $D(z_{kj}, \varepsilon)$,

$$\int_{\gamma_{kj}} f(z) dz = 0$$

QED !



$$\int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = 0$$

if H was a fixed pt homotopy deduce $\int_{\gamma_1} f(z) dz = 0 \Rightarrow \int_{\gamma_1} f(z) dz - \int_{\gamma_0} f(z) dz = 0$
 "P" + γ_1 + "Q" - γ_0

Thm 3a

if H was a closed curve homotopy,

$$\text{deduce } \int f(z) dz = 0$$

$$"H(s,0)" + \gamma_1 - "H(s,1)" - \gamma_0$$

$$\text{but } H(s,0) = H(s,1)!$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{\gamma_1} f(z) dz - \int_{\gamma_0} f(z) dz = 0$$

Thm 3b



"Small" technical pt: homotopy was only continuous, not C^1 .

(But can fix this with a polygonal mesh thru the image vertices.)