

## § 4.1-4.2

§ 4.1: computing residues... these are the only ideas you need to construct the book's table

Let  $f(z) = \frac{g(z)}{h(z)}$  with  $g, h$  analytic in  $D(z_0; r)$  and  $h(z_0) = 0$

① easiest case  $f(z) = \frac{f_1(z)}{(z-z_0)^k} + f_2(z)$  with  $f_1, f_2$  analytic in  $D(z_0; r)$   
(nice denominator) and  $f_1(z_0) \neq 0$   
i.e. polynomial

$$\Rightarrow f_1(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (z-z_0)^n$$

$$\text{res}(f; z_0) = a_{k-1} \quad (\text{why?})$$

$$\left( = \frac{1}{(k-1)!} f_1^{(k-1)}(z_0) \right)$$

example

$$\text{Res}\left(\frac{\sin 2z}{z^4}; 0\right) =$$

② general case

$$f(z) = \frac{g(z)}{h(z)}$$

$$g(z) = \sum_{n=M}^{\infty} a_n (z-z_0)^n \quad a_M \neq 0$$

$$g(z) = (z-z_0)^M \sum_{n=M}^{\infty} a_n (z-z_0)^{n-M}$$

$$h(z) = \sum_{n=N}^{\infty} \tilde{a}_n (z-z_0)^n \quad \tilde{a}_N \neq 0$$

$$h(z) = (z-z_0)^N \sum_{n=N}^{\infty} \tilde{a}_n (z-z_0)^{n-N}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(z) = \frac{(z-z_0)^M}{(z-z_0)^N} \frac{\sum_{n=M}^{\infty} a_n (z-z_0)^{n-M}}{\sum_{n=N}^{\infty} \tilde{a}_n (z-z_0)^{n-N}} \quad a_M \neq 0, \tilde{a}_N \neq 0$$

•  $M \geq N \Rightarrow$  removable singularity;  $\Rightarrow$  zero residue

•  $N > M \Rightarrow \underbrace{(z-z_0)^{N-M}}_{(z-z_0)^k} f(z) = \frac{(z-z_0)^N}{(z-z_0)^N} \frac{\sum_{n=M}^{\infty} a_n (z-z_0)^{n-M}}{\sum_{n=N}^{\infty} \tilde{a}_n (z-z_0)^{n-N}} =: \phi(z)$   
is analytic @  $z_0$ , with  $\phi(z_0) \neq 0$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n (z-z_0)^n \quad \text{res}(f; z_0) = c_{k-1} = \frac{1}{(k-1)!} \phi^{(k-1)}(z_0)$$

the residue at  $z_0$ ,  $\text{Res}(g/h; z_0)$  is given by

$$\text{Res}(g/h; z_0) = \left[ \frac{k!}{h^{(k)}(z_0)} \right]^k \times$$

$\frac{h^{(k)}(z_0)}{k!}$	0	0	...	0	$g(z_0)$
$\frac{h^{(k+1)}(z_0)}{(k+1)!}$	$\frac{h^{(k)}(z_0)}{k!}$	0	...	0	$g^{(1)}(z_0)$
$\frac{h^{(k+2)}(z_0)}{(k+2)!}$	$\frac{h^{(k+1)}(z_0)}{(k+1)!}$	$\frac{h^{(k)}(z_0)}{k!}$	...	0	$\frac{g^{(2)}(z_0)}{2!}$
$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\vdots$
$\frac{h^{(2k-1)}(z_0)}{(2k-1)!}$	$\frac{h^{(2k-2)}(z_0)}{(2k-2)!}$	$\frac{h^{(2k-3)}(z_0)}{(2k-3)!}$	...	$\frac{h^{(k+1)}(z_0)}{(k+1)!}$	$\frac{g^{(k-1)}(z_0)}{(k-1)!}$

where the vertical bars denote the determinant of the enclosed  $k \times k$  matrix.

**Table 4.1.1** Techniques for Finding Residues

In this table  $g$  and  $h$  are analytic at  $z_0$  and  $f$  has an isolated singularity. The most useful and common tests are indicated by an asterisk.

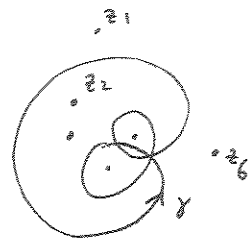
Function	Test	Type of Singularity	Residue at $z_0$
1. $f(z)$	$\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} (z - z_0)f(z) = 0$	removable	0
*2. $\frac{g(z)}{h(z)}$	$g$ and $h$ have zeros of same order	removable	0
*3. $f(z)$	$\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} (z - z_0)f(z) = 0$ exists and is $\neq 0$	simple pole	$\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} (z - z_0)f(z)$
*4. $\frac{g(z)}{h(z)}$	$g(z_0) \neq 0, h(z_0) = 0, h'(z_0) \neq 0$	simple pole	$\frac{g(z_0)}{h'(z_0)}$
5. $\frac{g(z)}{h(z)}$	$g$ has zero of order $k$ , $h$ has zero of order $k + 1$	simple pole	$(k + 1) \frac{g^{(k)}(z_0)}{h^{(k+1)}(z_0)}$
*6. $\frac{g(z)}{h(z)}$	$g(z_0) \neq 0, h(z_0) = 0 = h'(z_0), h''(z_0) \neq 0$	second-order pole	$2 \frac{g'(z_0)}{h''(z_0)} - \frac{2}{3} \frac{g(z_0)h'''(z_0)}{[h''(z_0)]^2}$
*7. $\frac{g(z)}{(z - z_0)^2}$	$g(z_0) \neq 0$	second-order pole	$g'(z_0)$
*8. $\frac{g(z)}{h(z)}$	$g(z_0) = 0, g'(z_0) \neq 0, h(z_0) = 0 = h'(z_0) = h''(z_0), h'''(z_0) \neq 0$	second-order pole	$3 \frac{g''(z_0)}{h'''(z_0)} - \frac{3}{2} \frac{g'(z_0)h^{(iv)}(z_0)}{[h'''(z_0)]^2}$
9. $f(z)$	$k$ is the smallest integer such that $\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \phi(z)$ exists where $\phi(z) = (z - z_0)^k f(z)$	pole of order $k$	$\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \frac{\phi^{(k-1)}(z)}{(k-1)!}$
*10. $\frac{g(z)}{h(z)}$	$g$ has zero of order $l$ , $h$ has zero of order $k + l$	pole of order $k$	$\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \frac{\phi^{(k-1)}(z)}{(k-1)!}$ where $\phi(z) = (z - z_0)^k \frac{g}{h}$
11. $\frac{g(z)}{h(z)}$	$g(z_0) \neq 0, h(z_0) = \dots = h^{k-1}(z_0) = 0, h^k(z_0) \neq 0$	pole of order $k$	see Proposition 4.1.7.

Different versions of the residue theorem

Version 1 (yesterday):  $f: A \setminus \{z_1, \dots, z_N\} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  analytic.

$\gamma$  contractible in  $A$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = 2\pi i \sum_{k=1}^N \text{Res}(f; z_k) I(\gamma; z_k)$$



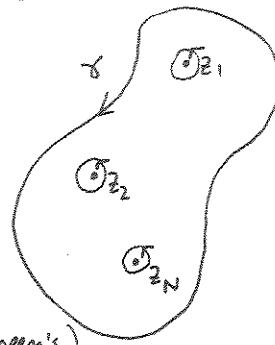
Version 2 special case via Green's Thm version of Cauchy's Thm:

$\gamma = \partial\Omega$ , oriented c.c.

$\Omega$  bounded,  $d(\Omega) \subset A$

$z_1, \dots, z_N \in \Omega$

$f: A \setminus \{z_1, \dots, z_N\} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  analytic



$$\oint_{\gamma} f(z) dz = \sum_{k=1}^n \oint_{|z-z_k|=\epsilon_k} f(z) dz \quad (\text{Green's thm})$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^n \text{Res}(f; z_k) \cdot 2\pi i$$

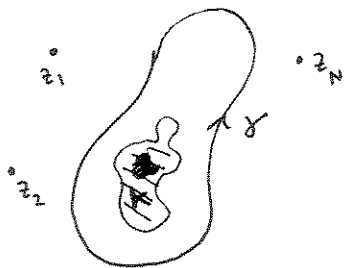
$$\int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = 2\pi i \sum_{k=1}^n \text{Res}(f; z_k) \quad \blacksquare$$

because  $f(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_n^{(k)} (z-z_0)^k + \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{b_m^{(k)}}{(z-z_0)^m}$   
converges uniformly on  $|z-z_k| = \epsilon_k$ .

Version 3 (exterior singularities)

$\gamma = \partial\Omega$ ,  $K \subset \Omega$

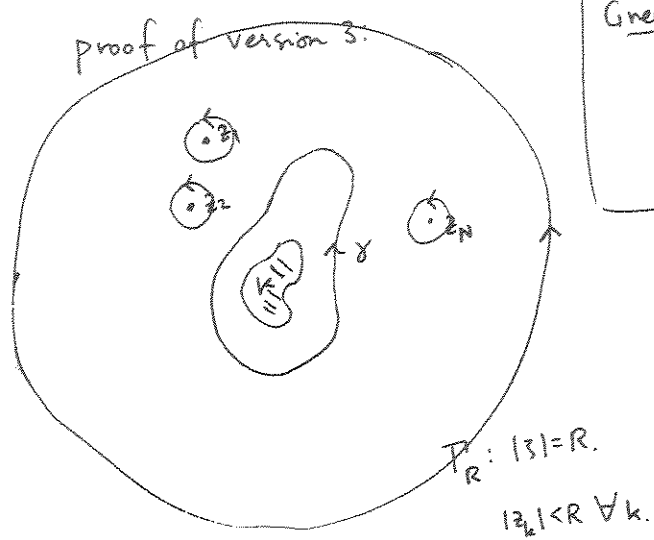
$f: \mathbb{C} \setminus \{K \cup \{z_1, z_2, \dots, z_N\}\} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  analytic.



$$\oint_{\gamma} f(z) dz = -2\pi i \left( \sum_{k=1}^n \text{Res}(f; z_k) + \text{Res}(f; \infty) \right)$$

where  $\text{Res}(f; \infty) := \text{Res}\left(-\frac{1}{z^2} f\left(\frac{1}{z}\right); 0\right)$ .

proof on next page.



Green's Thm:

$$\oint_{T_R} f(z) dz = \oint_{\gamma} f(z) dz + \sum_{k=1}^n \oint_{|z-z_k|=r_k} f(z) dz$$

$$= 2\pi i \sum_k \text{Res}(f; z_k)$$

Substitute

$$z = \frac{1}{z} \quad \text{if } z = Re^{it} \quad 0 \leq t \leq 2\pi$$

$$dz = -\frac{1}{z^2} dz \quad \text{then } z = \frac{1}{z} = \frac{1}{R} e^{-it}$$

so

$$\oint_{T_R} f(z) dz = \oint_{|z|=1/R} f\left(\frac{1}{z}\right) \left(-\frac{1}{z^2} dz\right)$$

only sing @  $z=0$ ,  
use Residue thm

$$= 2\pi i \text{Res}\left(-\frac{1}{z^2} f\left(\frac{1}{z}\right); 0\right) (-1)$$

$$= 2\pi i \text{Res}\left(+\frac{1}{z^2} f\left(\frac{1}{z}\right); 0\right) \uparrow \text{index}$$

$$= -2\pi i \text{Res}(f; \infty) \quad \text{by def'n.}$$

Side comment: Complex change of variables in contour integrals:

$$\int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = \int_{g^{-1}(\gamma)} f(g(z)) g'(z) dz$$

$z = g^{-1}(z)$      $g, g^{-1}$  analytic  
 $z = g^{-1}(z)$      $\uparrow$   
 $g^{-1}$  analytic on  $\gamma$

check: parameterize  $g^{-1}(\gamma)$  by  $\tilde{\gamma}(t)$ ,  $a \leq t \leq b$   
 so  $\gamma$  is parameterized by  $g(\tilde{\gamma}(t))$

$$\text{LHS} = \int_a^b f(g(\tilde{\gamma}(t))) \underbrace{g'(\tilde{\gamma}(t)) \tilde{\gamma}'(t) dt}_{\frac{d}{dt} g(\tilde{\gamma}(t)) \text{ (chain rule for curves)}}$$

$$\text{RHS} = \int_a^b f(g(\psi(t))) g'(\psi(t)) \underbrace{\psi'(t) dt}_{dz}$$

EQUAL!

Thus the Green's Thm Cauchy Thm result reads

$$\oint_{\gamma} f(z) dz = -2\pi i \left( \text{Res}(f; \infty) + \sum_{k=1}^N \text{Res}(f; z_k) \right)$$

④

Example Use the residue thm for exterior domains to compute

$$\oint_{|z|=2} \frac{3z^2 + 7}{z^3 + 2z - 3} dz$$

$|z|=2$

first show that  $z = \infty$  is the only singularity in the exterior domain

Check your answer by being clever, instead.