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## In Class MidTerm Exam for Math 113

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Problem	Points	Score
1	15	
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- Please show **ALL** your work on this exam paper. Partial credit will be awarded where appropriate.
- Some problems will be asking you to prove results covered in class. For those that do not, you may quote without proof the theorems/propositions/lemmas given during lecture as long as you state each result clearly. Points may be deducted for incorrect or missing hypotheses.
- **NO** calculators are permitted.

1. (15 points) Simplify the following expressions:

(a)  $e^{\log i}$

(b)  $\log i$

(c)  $i^{\log(-1)}$

**SOLUTIONS:** This was Exercise 2.R.13.

(a)  $e^{\log i} = i$

(b)  $\log i = i\frac{\pi}{2} + i2\pi n = i\frac{\pi}{2}(1 + 4n), \quad n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$

(c)  $i^{\log(-1)} = e^{\log(-1)\log i} = e^{i\pi\{i\frac{\pi}{2}(1+4n)\}} = e^{-\frac{\pi^2}{2}(1+4n)}, \quad n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$

2. (15 points)

- (a) Prove that the  $n$  nth roots of unity can be expressed as  $1, w, w^2, w^3, \dots, w^{n-1}$ .
- (b) What is  $w$ ?
- (c) Show that the sum of the  $n$  nth roots of unity is zero.

**SOLUTIONS:** Parts (a) and (b) were Exercise 1.3.27.

- (a) We are looking for solutions to the equation

$$1^{1/n} = w.$$

Equivalently  $w^n = 1$ . It is known from elementary algebra that this equation has at most  $n$  distinct solutions.

Define  $w = e^{2\pi i/n}$ . We notice that for any  $k = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$

$$(w^k)^n = (e^{2\pi i k/n})^n = e^{2\pi i k} = 1.$$

However  $1 = w^0, w, w^2, w^3, \dots, w^{n-1}$  are distinct since  $w^k = w^j$  implies that  $e^{2\pi i(k-j)/n} = 1$  which implies  $k = j \pmod n$ .

- (b)  $w = e^{2\pi i/n}$ .

- (c) The sum of the roots is

$$1 + w + \dots + w^{n-1}$$

Notice  $w^n - 1 = 0$ . And  $w^n - 1 = (w - 1)(1 + w + \dots + w^{n-1})$ . Either  $n = 1$  or  $n > 1$  and  $w \neq 1$ . In both cases we achieve the desired conclusion.

3. (a) (7 points) Is  $f(z) = \bar{z}$  analytic? Prove or disprove.
- (b) (7 points) Let  $A$  be an open subset of  $\mathcal{C}$  and  $A^* = \{z : \bar{z} \in A\}$ . Suppose  $f$  is analytic on  $A$  and define a function  $g$  on  $A^*$  by

$$g(z) = \overline{f(\bar{z})}.$$

Show that  $g$  is analytic on  $A^*$ .

**SOLUTIONS:** This was Example 1.5.17 and Example 1.5.19.

- (a) The function does not satisfy the Cauchy-Riemann equations.
- (b) The proof is on page 75 of Marsden and Hoffman.

4. (15 points)

- (a) Define what it means for a function to be analytic (holomorphic) at a point  $z \in \mathbb{C}$ .
- (b) State the Cauchy-Riemann equations.
- (c) Prove that a function analytic at a point  $z \in \mathbb{C}$  satisfies the Cauchy-Riemann equations at that point.

**SOLUTIONS:**

- (a) See Definition 1.5.1 in Marsden and Hoffman.
- (b)  $\partial u/\partial x = \partial v/\partial y$ ,  $\partial u/\partial y = -\partial v/\partial x$
- (c) See the first half of the proof of Theorem 1.5.8.

5. Evaluate the following integrals with  $\gamma$  being the unit circle centered at the origin:

(a) (3 points)  $\int_{\gamma} \sin z \, dz$ .

(b) (3 points)  $\int_{\gamma} \frac{\sin z}{z} \, dz$ .

(c) (3 points)  $\int_{\gamma} \frac{\sin z}{z^2} \, dz$ .

(d) (3 points)  $\int_{\gamma} \frac{\sin(e^z)}{z^2} \, dz$ .

**SOLUTIONS:** This was Exercise 2.R.1.

(a) (3 points)  $\int_{\gamma} \sin z \, dz = 0$ . (Cauchy's Thm)

(b) (3 points)  $\int_{\gamma} \frac{\sin z}{z} \, dz = 2\pi i \sin 0 = 0$ . (Cauchy's Integral formula)

(c) (3 points)  $\int_{\gamma} \frac{\sin z}{z^2} \, dz = \frac{2\pi i}{1!} \cos 0 = 2\pi i$ . (Cauchy's Integral formula)

(d) (3 points)  $\int_{\gamma} \frac{\sin(e^z)}{z^2} \, dz = 2\pi i \cos(e^0) = 2\pi i \cos(1)$ . (Cauchy's Integral formula)

6. (14 points) Evaluate  $\int_0^{2\pi} e^{-i\theta} e^{e^{i\theta}} d\theta$ .

**SOLUTIONS:** This was Exercise 2.R.11. We have  $\int_0^{2\pi} e^{-i\theta} e^{e^{i\theta}} d\theta = 2\pi$ .

The way to see this is to reverse engineer Cauchy's integral formula. Consider  $\gamma = \{z : |z| = 1\}$ . Then

$$\frac{1!}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{e^z}{z^2} dz = I(0, \gamma) \left. \frac{de^z}{dz} \right|_{z=0} = 1,$$

which is just Cauchy's integral formula for derivatives.

On the other hand, with  $z = e^{i\theta}$  we have the explicit integration

$$\int_{\gamma} \frac{e^z}{z^2} dz = \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{e^{e^{i\theta}}}{e^{2i\theta}} i e^{i\theta} d\theta = i \int_0^{2\pi} e^{e^{i\theta}} e^{-i\theta} d\theta.$$

Putting these together yields the result.

7. (15 points) Let  $f$  be entire and let  $|f(z)| \leq M$  for  $z$  on the circle  $|z| = R$  with  $R$  fixed. Prove that

$$\left| f^{(k)}(re^{i\theta}) \right| \leq \frac{k!M}{(R-r)^k},$$

for all  $0 \leq r < R$  and for all  $k = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots$

**SOLUTIONS:** This was Exercise 2.R.8. It is a nice generalization of Cauchy's inequality.

Let  $z_0 = re^{i\theta}$  and define the curve

$$\gamma = \{z : |z - z_0| = R - r\}.$$

Notice that  $\gamma \subset \{z : |z| \leq R\}$ . Therefore by the maximum modulus Principle  $|f| \leq M$  on  $\gamma$ .

The Cauchy integral formula gives us

$$f^{(k)}(z_0) = \frac{k!}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{f(\zeta)}{(\zeta - z_0)^{k+1}} d\zeta.$$

Now, since  $z_0$  is the center of  $\gamma$ , Cauchy's inequality grants us the conclusion:

$$\left| f^{(k)}(re^{i\theta}) \right| \leq \frac{k!M}{(R-r)^k}.$$

That proof uses the maximum modulus principle.

Extra space for work: