

Math 300 Homework 3 Solution

1. (Section 2.2 Q7)

(c)

$$-1 + \frac{i}{n} = \sqrt{1 + \frac{1}{n^2}} e^{i(\pi - \tan^{-1}(n^{-1}))}$$
$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} z_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\pi - \tan^{-1}(n^{-1})) = \pi$$

(e)

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \left(\frac{1-i}{4} \right)^n \right| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \right)^n = 0$$
$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} z_n = 0$$

(f) Note that for all $k \geq 1$, we have

$$z_{5k} = \exp(2k\pi i) = 1,$$
$$z_{5k+1} = \exp\left(2k\pi i + \frac{2\pi i}{5}\right) = \exp\left(\frac{2\pi i}{5}\right) \neq 1.$$

Hence, the sequence z_n diverges.

2. (Section 2.2 Q11)

(c)

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow 3i} \frac{z^2 + 9}{z - 3i} = \lim_{z \rightarrow 3i} \frac{(z + 3i)(z - 3i)}{z - 3i} = \lim_{z \rightarrow 3i} z + 3i = 6i$$

(d)

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow i} \frac{z^2 + i}{z^4 - 1} = \infty$$

3. (Section 2.3 Q4)

(c) Case 1, $z = 0$.

$$\lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{|0 + \Delta z| - |0|}{\Delta z} = \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{(\Delta z)^2 + (\Delta y)^2}}{\Delta x + i\Delta y}$$
$$= \begin{cases} \pm 1, & \text{if } \Delta z = \Delta x \\ -i, & \text{if } \Delta z = \pm i\Delta y \end{cases}$$

Case 2, $z \neq 0$.

$$\begin{aligned}
& \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{|z + \Delta z| - |z|}{\Delta z} \\
&= \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{(x + \Delta x)^2 + (y + \Delta y)^2} - \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}{\Delta x + i\Delta y} \\
&= \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x + \Delta x)^2 + (y + \Delta y)^2 - (x^2 + y^2)}{(\Delta x + i\Delta y)(\sqrt{(x + \Delta x)^2 + (y + \Delta y)^2} + \sqrt{x^2 + y^2})} \\
&= \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{2x\Delta x + (\Delta x)^2 + 2y\Delta y + (\Delta y)^2}{(\Delta x + i\Delta y)(\sqrt{(x + \Delta x)^2 + (y + \Delta y)^2} + \sqrt{x^2 + y^2})} \\
&= \begin{cases} \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}, & \text{if } \Delta z = \Delta x, z \neq 0 \\ \frac{y}{i\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}, & \text{if } \Delta z = i\Delta y, z \neq 0 \end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

4. (Section 2.3 Q11)

(b) Nowhere analytic.

(f) Note that $f(z) = z + \frac{1}{z}$, f is analytic except at $z = 0$.

5. (Section 2.3 Q13)

(c) Take $f(z) = 1$, $g(z) = z$. $\frac{1}{z}$ is not differentiable at $z = 0$. So $\frac{f(z)}{g(z)}$ is not always entire.

(e) Take $f(z) = z$. $\frac{1}{z}$ is not differentiable at $z = 0$. So $f\left(\frac{1}{z}\right)$ is not always entire.

(f) Since the composition of two entire functions is entire, $g(z^2 + 2)$ is always entire.