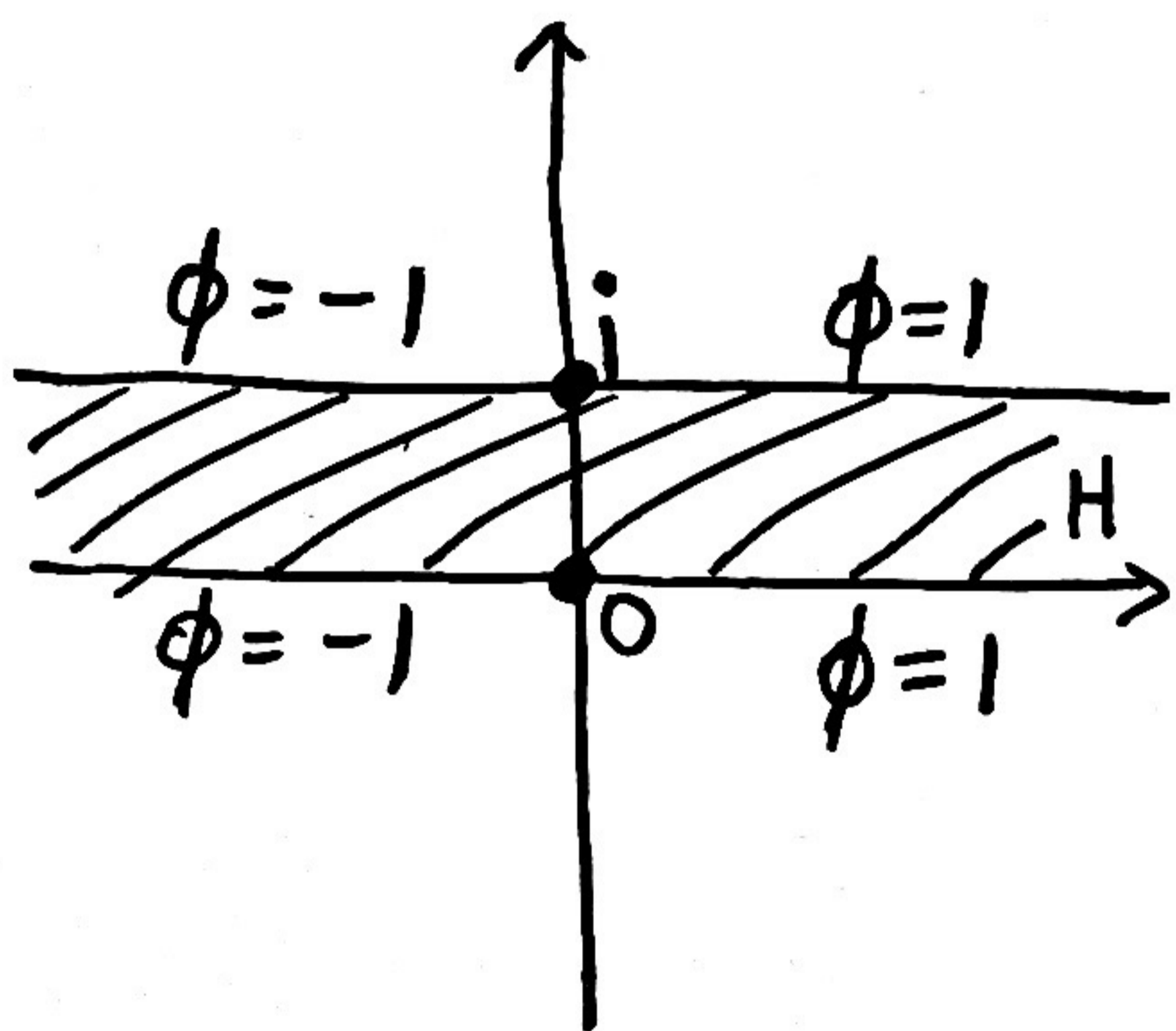


5 pts

1. Let  $H = \{z : 0 < \text{Im } z < 1\}$ . Find a function  $\phi$  that is harmonic in  $H$  and satisfies  $\phi = -1$  on  $\{x \leq 0\}$  and  $\{x+i : x \leq 0\}$  as well as  $\phi = 1$  on  $\{x > 0\}$  and  $\{x+i : x > 0\}$ . Hint: Consider the mapping  $f(z) = (e^\pi)^z$ .



Map the domain  $H$  using  $f(z) = e^{\pi z}$ :

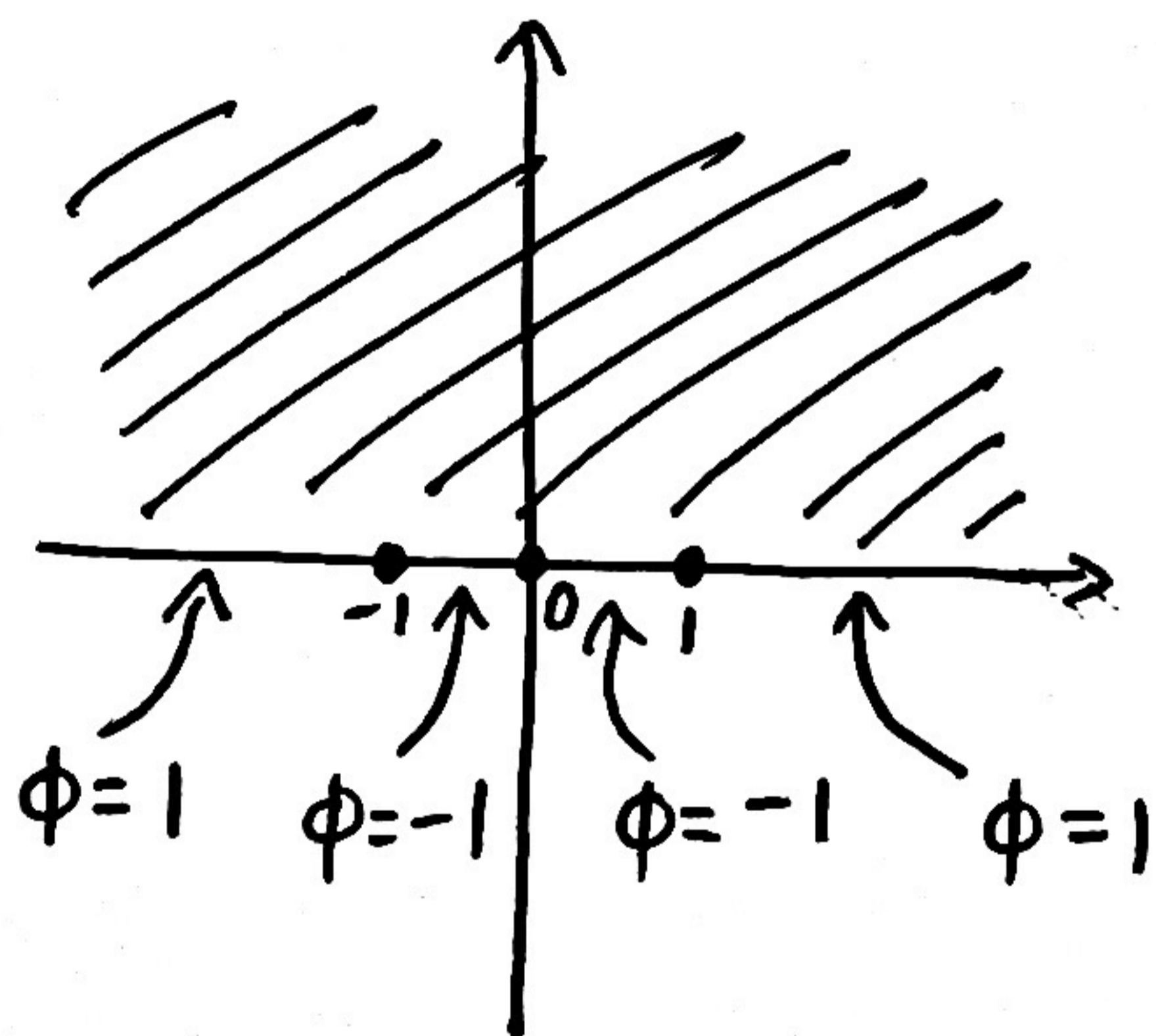
$$\left. \begin{aligned} \text{Re } z \leq 0, \text{Im } z = 0 &\rightarrow \text{Re } w \leq 1, \text{Im } w = 0 \\ \text{Re } z \leq 0, \text{Im } z = 1 &\rightarrow -1 \leq \text{Re } w < 0, \text{Im } w = 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \phi = -1$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \text{Re } z \geq 0, \text{Im } z = 0 &\rightarrow \text{Re } w > 1, \text{Im } w = 0 \\ \text{Re } z > 0, \text{Im } z = 1 &\rightarrow \text{Re } w < -1, \text{Im } w = 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \phi = 1$$

The boundary of  $H$  maps to the real line

For an interior point like  $z = \frac{i}{2}$ ,  $w = e^{i\pi/2} = i$  is in the upper half plane

Thus  $H$  maps to the upper half plane:



On the real axis, there are discontinuity points at  $x=1$  and  $x=-1$

$\phi$  is in the form:

$$\phi(w) = a + b \text{Arg}(w-1) + c \text{Arg}(w+1)$$

$$w \in (-\infty, -1): \phi(w) = a + b\pi + c\pi = 1$$

$$w \in (-1, 1): \phi(w) = a + b\pi = -1$$

$$w \in (1, \infty): \phi(w) = a = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow c = \frac{2}{\pi}, b = -\frac{2}{\pi}, a = 1$$

$$\phi(w) = 1 - \frac{2}{\pi} \text{Arg}(w-1) + \frac{2}{\pi} \text{Arg}(w+1)$$

To map back to the original picture, a harmonic solution is

$$\boxed{\phi(z) = 1 - \frac{2}{\pi} \text{Arg}(e^{\pi z} - 1) + \frac{2}{\pi} \text{Arg}(e^{\pi z} + 1)}$$

5 pts

2. Use the Fourier transform to solve the equation

$$u_t = Du_{xx} \quad -\infty < x < \infty \quad t > 0 \quad \text{with } u(x, 0) = f(x)$$

$$U(k, t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} u(x, t) e^{-ikx} dx \quad \text{and} \quad u(x, t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} U(k, t) e^{ikx} dk.$$

By the Fourier Transform,

$$U_t = D(ki)^2 U \quad \text{since} \quad \mathcal{F}[u_x(x, t)] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} u_x(x, t) e^{-ikx} dx$$

$$= -Dk^2 U$$

$$\text{Then } U = \hat{f}(k) e^{-Dk^2 t}$$

$$\text{where } \hat{f}(k) = \mathcal{F}[f(x)]$$

Inverse Fourier Transform:

$$= \underbrace{u(x, t) e^{-ikx} \Big|_{-\infty}^{\infty}}_{=0 \text{ assuming } u \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } |x| \rightarrow \infty} + ik \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} u(x, t) e^{-ikx} dx = ik \mathcal{F}[u(x, t)]$$

By convolution theorem,

$$u = f * \mathcal{F}^{-1}[e^{-Dk^2 t}]$$

$$\mathcal{F}^{-1}[e^{-Dk^2 t}] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-Dk^2 t + ikx} dk$$

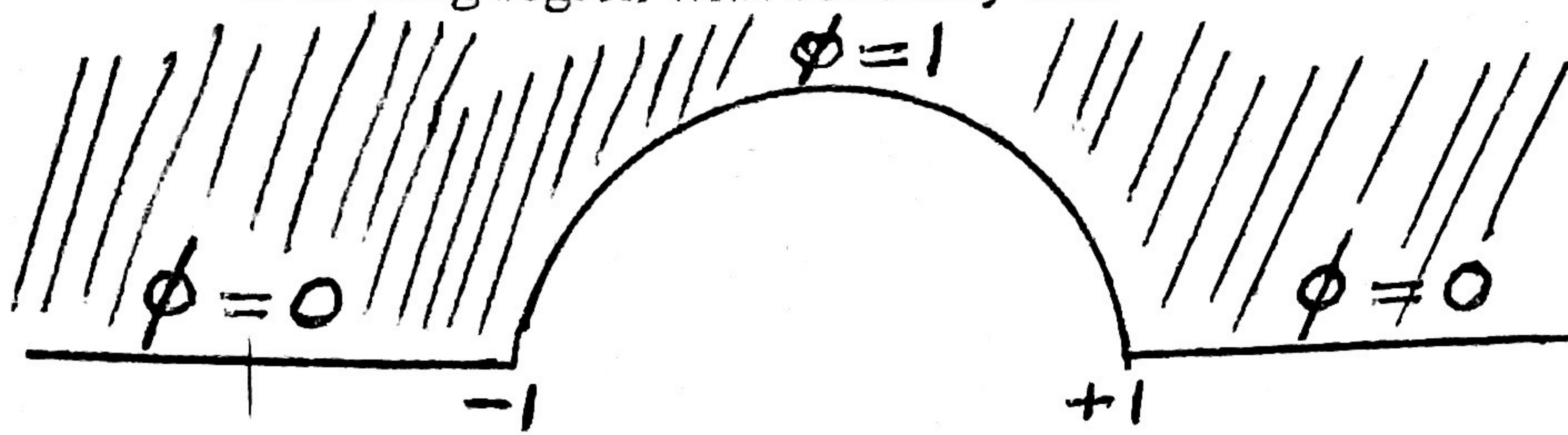
$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} e^{-\frac{x^2}{4tD}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-\frac{t}{D} \left(Dk - \frac{ix}{2t}\right)^2} dk$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} e^{-\frac{x^2}{4tD}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-Dk^2 t} dk \quad (\text{shifting property})$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{Dt}} e^{-\frac{x^2}{4tD}}$$

$$\text{Then } u(x) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{\pi Dt}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x') e^{-\frac{(x-x')^2}{4tD}} dx'$$

3. Consider the following region with boundary data.



(a) Show that the Joukowski map  $J(z) = (1/2)(z + 1/z)$  maps the shaded region onto the upper half plane.

(b) Solve Laplace's equation in the shaded region, with the indicated boundary conditions.

2 pts

(a) The line  $[1, \infty)$  maps onto  $[1, \infty)$   
 The line  $(-\infty, -1]$  maps onto  $(-\infty, -1]$   
 The semicircle  $e^{i\theta}$  ( $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$ ) maps to  
 $\frac{1}{2}(e^{i\theta} + e^{-i\theta}) = \cos \theta$   
 $\Rightarrow$  onto  $[-1, 1]$

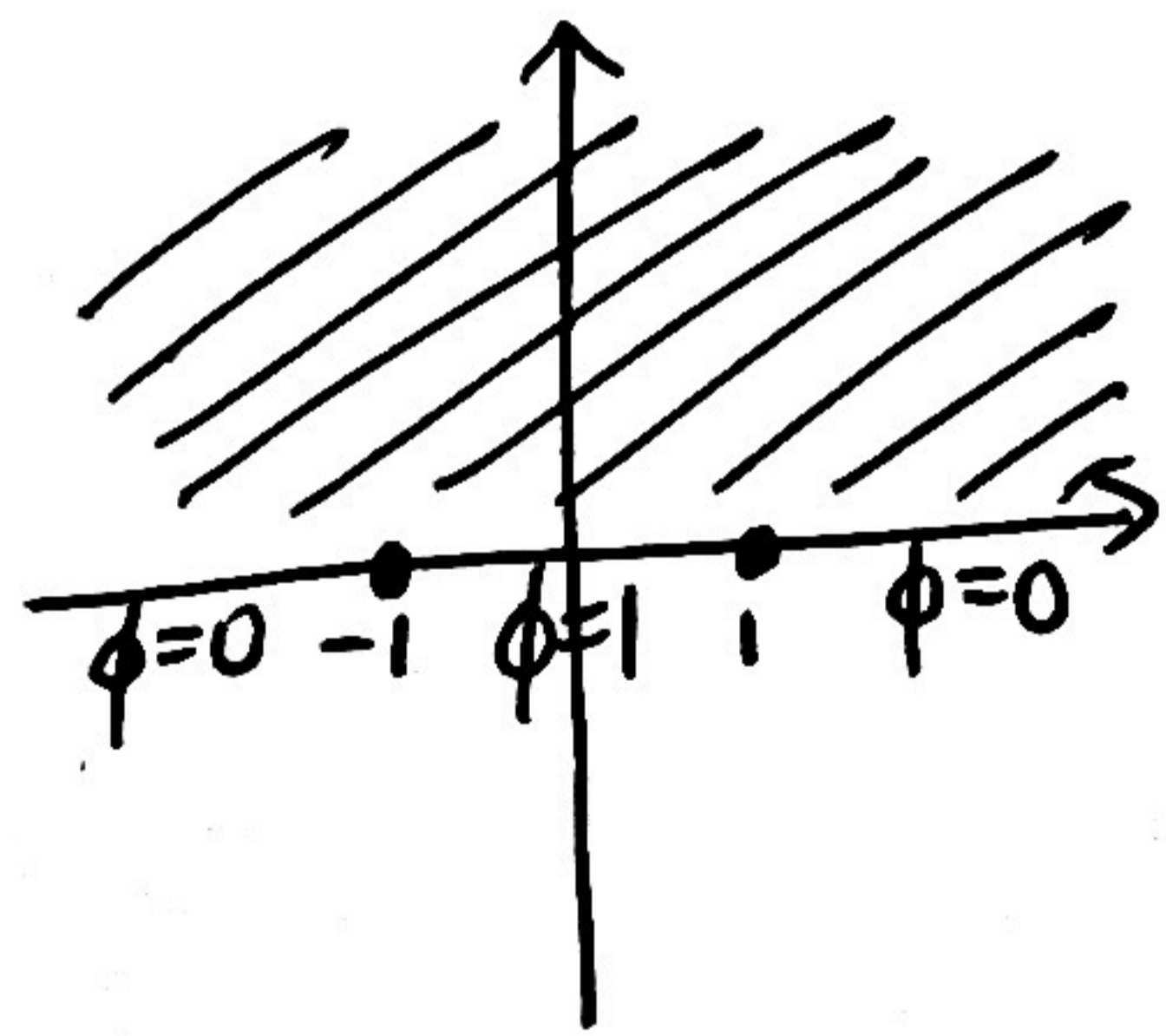
For an interior point like  $z = 2i$ ,

$$J(z) = \frac{1}{2} \left( 2i + \frac{1}{2i} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \left( 2i - \frac{1}{2}i \right) = \frac{3}{4}i \text{ is on the upper half plane}$$

$\therefore$  Boundary maps to real line and interior maps to the upper half plane.

3 pts

(b) Find a harmonic function with the conditions:



$$\phi(w) = a + b \operatorname{Arg}(w-1) + c \operatorname{Arg}(w+1)$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{For } w < -1 \quad a + b\pi + c\pi = 0 \\ \quad \quad \quad -1 < w < 1 \quad a + b\pi = 1 \\ \quad \quad \quad w > 1 \quad a = 0 \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow b = \frac{1}{\pi}, \quad c = -\frac{1}{\pi}$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi(w) = \frac{1}{\pi} \operatorname{Arg}(w-1) - \frac{1}{\pi} \operatorname{Arg}(w+1)$$

On the original picture,

$$\phi(z) = \frac{1}{\pi} \operatorname{Arg} \left( \frac{1}{2} \left( z + \frac{1}{z} \right) - 1 \right) - \frac{1}{\pi} \operatorname{Arg} \left( \frac{1}{2} \left( z + \frac{1}{z} \right) + 1 \right)$$

4. Let  $w = f(z)$  be the Möbius transformation mapping the points  $0, \lambda, \infty$  to  $-i, 1, i$ , respectively, where  $\lambda$  is real. For what values of  $\lambda$  is the upper half plane mapped onto  $|w| < 1$ ?

5 pts

From the points of the Möbius transform, the real line (containing  $0, \lambda, \infty$ ) maps to the unit circle (containing  $-i, 1, i$ ).

A Möbius transformation is of the form

$$z \mapsto \frac{iz - ai}{z + a} \quad \text{with} \quad \frac{i\lambda - ai}{\lambda + a} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow i\lambda - ai = \lambda + a$$

$$(i-1)\lambda = (1+i)a$$

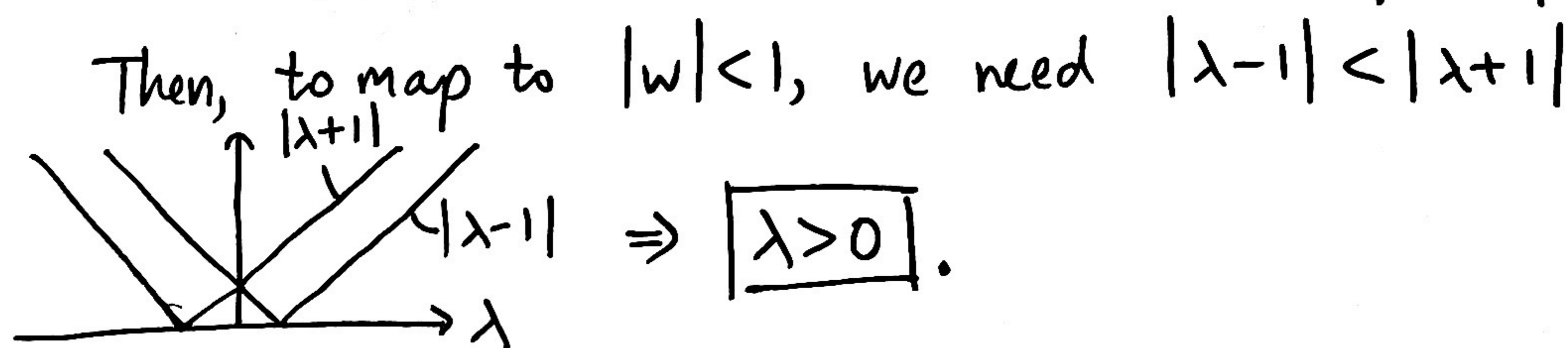
$$a = \lambda \left( \frac{-1+i}{1+i} \right) = \lambda i$$

$$\Rightarrow z \mapsto \frac{iz + \lambda}{z + \lambda i}$$

Take a point in the upper half plane such as  $z = i$ , then

$$i \mapsto \frac{-1 + \lambda}{i + \lambda i} \quad \text{and magnitude is} \quad \frac{|\lambda - 1|}{|\lambda + 1|}$$

Then, to map to  $|w| < 1$ , we need  $|\lambda - 1| < |\lambda + 1|$

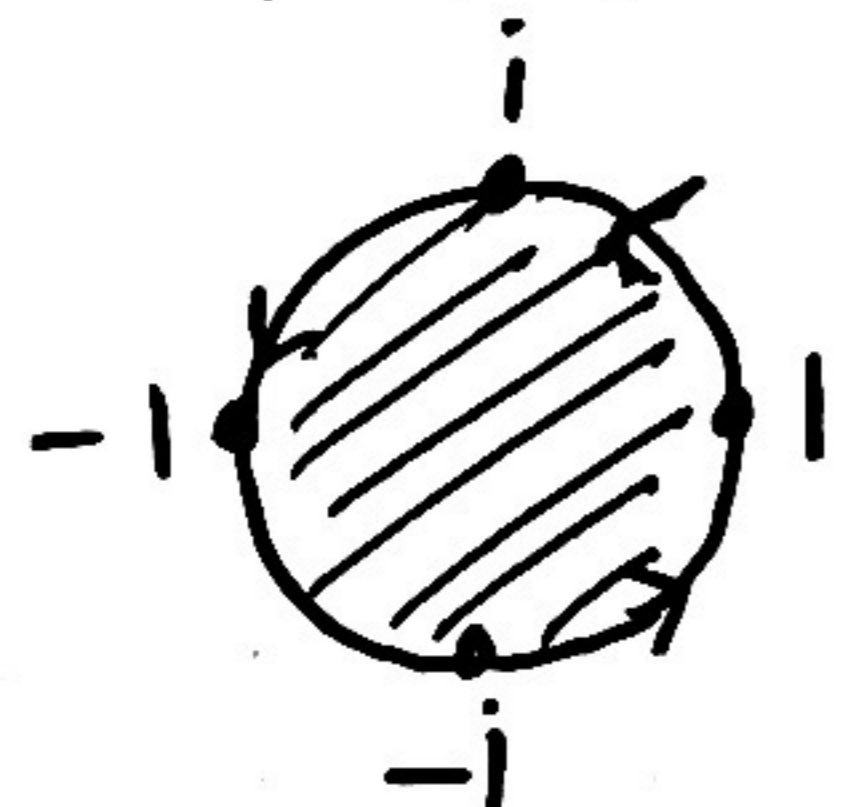


$\Rightarrow \boxed{\lambda > 0}$ .

Alternatively, traversing the unit circle in the order

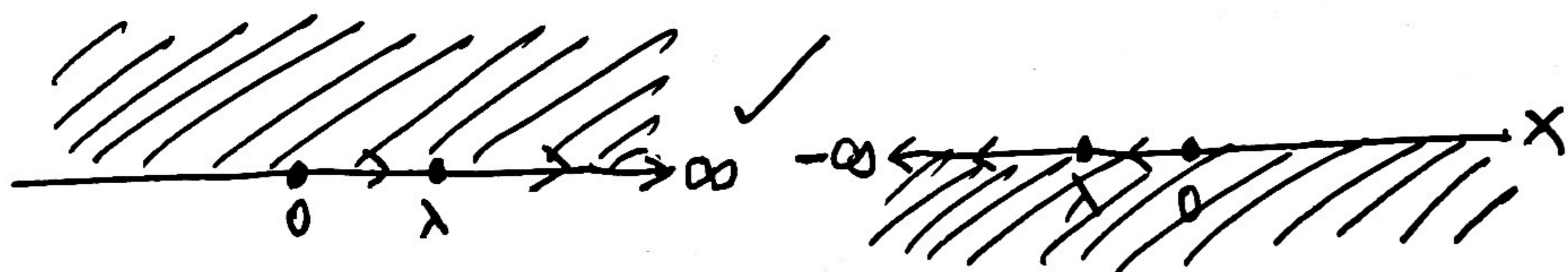
$-i \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow i \rightarrow -i$  puts the interior on the left hand side

of the traversed path.



We want the interior on the left when traversing  $0 \rightarrow \lambda \rightarrow \infty$  along the real line, interior on upper half plane. Then:

$\lambda > 0$ :



$\lambda < 0$ :

$\Rightarrow \boxed{\lambda > 0}$ .