

Problem 1. [10 points]

(1) Let $z = \left(\frac{1-i}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^{2010}$. Find $|z|$ and $\text{Arg } z$.

$$\left|\frac{1-i}{\sqrt{2}}\right| = \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 + \left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2} = 1.$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Arg } z &= \text{Arg } e^{-\frac{\pi}{4}i \cdot 2010} \\ &= \text{Arg } e^{-(502\pi + \frac{\pi}{2})i} \\ &= -\frac{\pi}{2}\end{aligned}$$

(2) Find all distinct values of $(-8)^{\frac{1}{3}}$. The answer should be in the form $x + iy$ and simplified.

$$(-8)^{\frac{1}{3}} = 2 e^{\frac{\pi i + 2k\pi i}{3}}, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}.$$

$$k=0, \quad 2 e^{\frac{\pi i}{3}} = 2 \cdot \cos \frac{\pi}{3} + i \cdot 2 \sin \frac{\pi}{3} = 1 + \sqrt{3}i$$

$$k=1, \quad 2 e^{\frac{3\pi i}{3}} = 2 \cos \pi + i 2 \sin \pi = -2$$

$$\begin{aligned}k=2, \quad 2 e^{\frac{5\pi i}{3}} &= 2 \cos \frac{5\pi}{3} + i 2 \sin \frac{5\pi}{3} = 2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) + i 2 \sin\left(-\frac{\pi}{3}\right) \\ &= 1 - \sqrt{3}i\end{aligned}$$

Problem 2. [10 points] Let $u(x, y) = e^x \sin y + e^{-x} \cos y$ for all real x and y .

(a) Verify that $u(x, y)$ is a harmonic function. $u_x = e^x \sin y - e^{-x} \cos y$
 $u_{xx} = e^x \sin y + e^{-x} \cos y$ $u_y = e^x \cos y - e^{-x} \sin y$
 $u_{yy} = -e^x \sin y - e^{-x} \cos y$

$\therefore u_{xx} + u_{yy} = 0$

(b) Find the entire function $f(z)$ whose real part is the function $u(x, y)$ and $f(i\pi) = -1 + i$.

Set $f = u + i v$

CR equations need to be satisfied:

$v_x = -u_y = -e^x \cos y + e^{-x} \sin y$

$\therefore v = \int (-e^x \cos y + e^{-x} \sin y) dx$

$= -e^x \cos y - e^{-x} \sin y + \varphi(y)$

$\therefore v_y = e^x \sin y - e^{-x} \cos y + \varphi'(y)$

$v_y = u_x = e^x \sin y - e^{-x} \cos y$

$\therefore \varphi'(y) = 0 \quad \therefore \varphi(y) = C.$

$\therefore f(z) = (e^x \sin y + e^{-x} \cos y) + i(-e^x \cos y - e^{-x} \sin y + C)$

$-1 + i = f(i\pi) = (e^0 \sin \pi + e^{-0} \cos \pi) + i(-e^0 \cos \pi - e^{-0} \sin \pi + C)$
 $= -1 + i(1 + C)$

$\therefore C = 0$

$\therefore f(z) = (e^x \sin y + e^{-x} \cos y) + i(-e^x \cos y - e^{-x} \sin y)$

Problem 3. [10 points] Let $f(z)$ be the function $\bar{z}^2 + 3z$.

(a) Find all z where f is (complex) differentiable.

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{z}^2 + 3z &= (\overline{x+iy})^2 + 3(x+iy) \\ &= (x-iy)^2 + 3x + 3iy \\ &= \underbrace{(x^2 - y^2 + 3x)}_u + i \underbrace{(-2xy + 3y)}_v\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}u_x &= 2x + 3, & u_y &= -2y \\ v_x &= -2y, & v_y &= -2x + 3, & u_x, u_y, v_x, v_y &\text{ continuous}\end{aligned}$$

CR is satisfied when

$$u_x = v_y \Rightarrow 2x + 3 = -2x + 3 \Rightarrow x = 0$$

$$u_y = -v_x \Rightarrow -2y = 2y \Rightarrow y = 0$$

$\therefore f$ is differentiable at $z = 0$

(b) Determine where f is analytic.

nowhere analytic.

Analytic at a point means the function is (complex) differentiable in a neighborhood of the point.

f is only differentiable at one point: $z = 0$.

Problem 4. [10 points] Let $f(z)$ be the principal branch of $(z^2 + iz + 2)^{\frac{1}{2}}$. Determine the domain of analyticity of $f(z)$ (namely, all values of z where f is analytic).

$$f(z) = e^{\frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Log}(z^2 + iz + 2)}$$

Set $w = z^2 + iz + 2$. The cut for $\operatorname{Log} w$ is along

$$w \leq 0. \quad \Rightarrow \quad z^2 + iz + 2 \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x+iy)^2 + i(x+iy) + 2 \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 - y^2 - y + 2) + i(2xy + x) \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} x^2 - y^2 - y + 2 \leq 0 & (1) \\ 2xy + x = 0 & (2) \end{cases}$$

$$(2) \Rightarrow x = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad y = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{If } x = 0, \quad (1) \Rightarrow -y^2 - y + 2 \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 + y - 2 \geq 0 \Rightarrow (y-1)(y+2) \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y \geq 1 \quad \text{or} \quad y \leq -2$$

$$\text{If } y = -\frac{1}{2}, \quad (1) \Rightarrow x^2 - \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2} + 2 \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 2 + \frac{1}{4} \leq 0, \quad \text{no solution}$$

\therefore Domain of analyticity of $f(z)$ is

$$\mathbb{C} \setminus \{yi : y \geq 1 \text{ or } y \leq -2\}$$

