

COMPLEX ANALYSIS (701026001, 113-1) - HOMEWORK 8

Return to TA by: December 13, 2024 (Friday) 12:00

Total marks: 50

Exercise 1 (10+10 points). Find the Laurent expansion for $\frac{1}{z^2-4}$ and $\frac{1}{z^4+z^2}$ about $z = 0$.

Exercise 2 (10 points, higher order Cauchy integral formula). Let f be an entire function, let $a \in \mathbb{C}$ and let $\mathcal{C} = [Re^{i\theta} \mid 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi]$ with $R > |a|$. Show that

$$f^{(k)}(a) = \frac{k!}{2\pi i} \int_{\mathcal{C}} \frac{f(z)}{(z-a)^{k+1}} dz \quad \text{for all } k = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

is a special case of Cauchy residue theorem (Theorem 5.3.6).

Exercise 3 (10 points). Show that the image of the unit disc minus the origin under $f(z) = \csc(1/z) \equiv 1/(\sin(1/z))$ is dense in the complex plane. [Hint: Show that $\sin(1/z)$ has a essential singularity at $z = 0$]

Exercise 4 (10 points). Show that if f is analytic in $z \neq 0$ and $f(-z) = -f(z)$ for all $z \neq 0$, then all the even terms in its Laurent expansion about 0 are 0.