

Def $V \subseteq \mathbb{C}_\infty$ is a NEIGHBOURHOOD of ∞ if $\exists \pi > 0$ s.t. $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| > \pi\} \cup \{\infty\} \subseteq V$.

$V \subseteq \mathbb{C}_\infty$ is a neighbourhood of $z_0 \in \mathbb{C}$ if

$$\exists \pi > 0 \text{ s.t. } \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z - z_0| < \pi\} \subseteq V$$

NOTATION:

$\mathcal{U}(z)$ - the family of neighbourhoods of $z \in \mathbb{C}_\infty$

If $P(x, y, z) = \tilde{\varphi}(z) \in S \setminus \{N\}$, $z \in \mathbb{C}$ then the EUCLIDEAN DISTANCE between N and P is

$$\begin{aligned} \|NP\| &= \sqrt{(x-0)^2 + (y-0)^2 + (z-1)^2} = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 2z + 1} = \sqrt{1 - z} = \\ &= \sqrt{1 - \frac{|z|^2}{|z|^2 + 1}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{|z|^2 + 1}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So } |z| > \pi \Leftrightarrow \|NP\| < \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi^2 + 1}}$$

$\nabla V \in \mathcal{U}(\infty) \Leftrightarrow \tilde{\varphi}(V)$ is a neighbourhood of N on S

$\nabla \{z_m\}_{m \in \mathbb{N}}$ is a sequence in $\mathbb{C}$, then:

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} z_m = \infty \Leftrightarrow \forall V \in \mathcal{U}(\infty) \exists m_V \in \mathbb{N} \text{ s.t. } z_m \in V, m \geq m_V \Leftrightarrow$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \forall \pi > 0 \exists m_\pi \in \mathbb{N} \text{ s.t. } |z_m| > \pi, m \geq m_\pi$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} |z_m| = \infty \Leftrightarrow \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{|z_m|} = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{z_m} = 0$$

Def For $z_1, z_2 \in \mathbb{C}_\infty$, let $d_c(z_1, z_2) = \|P_1, P_2\| = \sqrt{(x_1 - x_2)^2 + (y_1 - y_2)^2 + (z_1 - z_2)^2}$ where $P_j(x_j, y_j, z_j) = \tilde{\varphi}(z_j)$ $j \in \{1, 2\}$

$d_c : \mathbb{C}_\infty \times \mathbb{C}_\infty \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ is called the CHORDAL METRIC on $\mathbb{C}_\infty$

$$d_C(z_1, z_2) = \begin{cases} \frac{|z_1 - z_2|}{\sqrt{|z_1|^2 + 1} \sqrt{|z_2|^2 + 1}} & z_1, z_2 \in \mathbb{C} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{|z|^2 + 1}} & z_1 = z_2 \in \mathbb{C} \quad z_2 = \infty \text{ or } z_1 = \infty, z_2 = z \in \mathbb{C} \\ 0 & z_1 = z_2 = \infty \end{cases}$$

- ∇ • $\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} z_m = \infty \iff d_C(z_m, \infty) \rightarrow 0$
 • $\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} z_m = z \in \mathbb{C} \iff d_C(z_m, z) \rightarrow 0$

$\nabla (\mathbb{C}_\infty, d_C)$ is a complete metric space

DEF A GENERALISED CIRCLE in $\mathbb{C}_\infty$ is either a (usual) circle or a line.

The stereograph. proj of a circle in S is a generalised circle in $\mathbb{C}_\infty$

- if the circle passes through N , then its stereographic proj is a line
- if the circle is not passing through N then its stereographic proj. is a circle

So, the lines are gen. circles passing through ∞ .

COMPLEX FUNCTIONS OF A COMPLEX VARIABLE

Let $A \subseteq \mathbb{C}$

DEF $f: A \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ is called a COMPLEX FUNCTION of a COMPLEX VARIABLE.

We denote:

- $\operatorname{Re} f = u$ and $\operatorname{Im} f = v$ where $u, v: A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$
- $f = u + iv$ $f(z) = u(z) + iv(z)$ $z \in A$

DEF Let $z_0 \in A'$ ($\exists (z_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset A \setminus \{z_0\} : z_n \rightarrow z_0$) and $l \in \mathbb{C}$.

f has limit l at z_0 ($\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} f(z) = l$) if

$\forall \varepsilon > 0 \exists \delta > 0$ s.t. $\forall z \in A$ with $0 < |z - z_0| < \delta : |f(z) - l| < \varepsilon$

$$\nabla \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} f(z) = l \iff \begin{cases} \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \underbrace{\operatorname{Re} f(z)}_u = \operatorname{Re} l \\ \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \underbrace{\operatorname{Im} f(z)}_v = \operatorname{Im} l \end{cases}$$

DEF: Let $z_0 \in A'$. f has limit ∞ at z_0 ($\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} f(z) = \infty$) if

$\forall \varepsilon > 0 \exists \delta > 0$ s.t. $\forall z \in A$ with $0 < |z - z_0| < \delta : |f(z)| > \varepsilon$

$$\nabla \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} f(z) = \infty \iff \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \frac{1}{f(z)} = 0$$

DEF Let $\infty \in A'$ ($\exists (z_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset A$ s.t. $z_n \rightarrow \infty$) and $l \in \mathbb{C}$.

f has limit l at ∞ ($\lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} f(z) = l$) if $\forall \varepsilon > 0 \exists \delta > 0$ s.t. $\forall z \in A$ with $|z| > \delta : |f(z) - l| < \varepsilon$

$$\nabla \lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} f(z) = \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} f\left(\frac{1}{z}\right)$$

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} f(z) = 0 \iff \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} |f(z)| = 0$$

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} f(z) = \infty \iff \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} |f(z)| = \infty$$

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} f(z) = l \in \mathbb{C} \iff \forall (z_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subseteq A \text{ with } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} z_n = z_0 : \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f(z_n) = l$$

DEF Let $A \subseteq \mathbb{C}$, $z_0 \in A \cap A'$ and $f: A \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$. f is CONTINUOUS on A if f is continuous at any $z_0 \in A$

∇f is cont at $z_0 \Leftrightarrow u = \operatorname{Re} f, v = \operatorname{Im} f$ are cont at z_0

∇ The usual operations for cont. real functions hold for continuous complex functions

DIFFERENTIABILITY IN $\mathbb{C}$

Def. Let $\gamma \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ be open, $f: \gamma \rightarrow \mathbb{C}, z_0 \in \gamma$

f is DIFFERENTIABLE at z_0 if

$$\exists \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \frac{f(z) - f(z_0)}{z - z_0} := f'(z_0) \in \mathbb{C}$$

$\nabla f = u + iv: \gamma \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ is diff. at $z_0 \Leftrightarrow u, v: \gamma \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are diff. at z_0

$$\circ f'(z_0) = u'(z_0) + i v'(z_0)$$

Let $G \subseteq \mathbb{C}$ be open

$f: G \rightarrow \mathbb{C}, z_0 \in G$. f is DIFFERENTIABLE at z_0 if

$$\exists \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \frac{f(z) - f(z_0)}{z - z_0} := f'(z_0) \in \mathbb{C} \text{ called the derivative of } f \text{ at } z_0.$$

DEF 3 $f: G \rightarrow \mathbb{C}, z_0 \in G$ f is $\mathbb{C}$ -differentiable at z_0 if

$$\exists \alpha \in \mathbb{C}, \exists w: G \setminus \{z_0\} \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \text{ s.t. } \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} w(z) = 0,$$

$$f(z) = f(z_0) + \alpha(z - z_0) + w(z)|z - z_0|, z \in G \setminus \{z_0\}$$

Def. 3 $f: G \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, $z_0 \in G$. f is $\mathbb{C}$ -differentiable at z_0 , if
 $\exists \alpha \in \mathbb{C}$, $\exists \omega: G \setminus \{z_0\} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ s.t. $\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \omega(z) = 0$,
 $f(z) = f(z_0) + \alpha(z - z_0) + \omega(z)|z - z_0|$, $z \in G \setminus \{z_0\}$.

[P₁] Let $f: G \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, $z_0 \in G$. Then: f is $\mathbb{C}$ -diff. at $z_0 \iff$
 f is diff. at z_0 .

Proof: f is $\mathbb{C}$ -diff. at $z_0 \iff \exists \alpha \in \mathbb{C}$ s.t.

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \underbrace{\left| \frac{f(z) - f(z_0) - \alpha(z - z_0)}{|z - z_0|} \right|}_{\omega(z)} = 0$$

$$\left(\frac{u}{|w|} = \frac{|u|}{|w|} = \left| \frac{u}{w} \right|, \right. \\ \left. \forall u, w \in \mathbb{C}, w \neq 0 \right)$$

$$\frac{|f(z) - f(z_0) - \alpha(z - z_0)|}{|z - z_0|} = \left| \frac{f(z) - f(z_0)}{z - z_0} - \alpha \right|$$

$$\iff \exists \alpha \in \mathbb{C} \text{ s.t. } \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \frac{f(z) - f(z_0)}{z - z_0} = \alpha \iff f \text{ is diff. at } z_0.$$

$$\nabla f \text{ is } \mathbb{C}\text{-diff. at } z_0 \Rightarrow \alpha = f'(z_0). \quad (1)$$

Def. 4 $f = u + iv: G \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, $z_0 = x_0 + iy_0 \in G$.

f is $\mathbb{R}$ -differentiable at z_0 , if u, v are Fréchet differentiable at (x_0, y_0) .

Recall: • $\|(x, y)\| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$, $(x, y) \in \mathbb{C}$ (the Euclidean norm in $\mathbb{R}^2$).

• f is $\mathbb{R}$ -diff. at $z_0 = (x_0, y_0) \iff$

$$\iff \begin{cases} \exists a_1, b_1 \in \mathbb{R}, \exists \omega_1: G \setminus \{(x_0, y_0)\} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ s.t. } \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (x_0, y_0)} \omega_1(x, y) = 0, \\ u(x, y) = u(x_0, y_0) + a_1(x - x_0) + b_1(y - y_0) + \omega_1(x, y)\|(x - x_0, y - y_0)\|, (x, y) \in G \setminus \{(x_0, y_0)\} \\ \text{and} \\ \exists a_2, b_2 \in \mathbb{R}, \exists \omega_2: G \setminus \{(x_0, y_0)\} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ s.t. } \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (x_0, y_0)} \omega_2(x, y) = 0, \\ v(x, y) = v(x_0, y_0) + a_2(x - x_0) + b_2(y - y_0) + \omega_2(x, y)\|(x - x_0, y - y_0)\|, (x, y) \in G \setminus \{(x_0, y_0)\}. \end{cases}$$

Remark 1: • $a_1 = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x_0, y_0)$, $a_2 = \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}(x_0, y_0)$, $b_1 = \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}(x_0, y_0)$, $b_2 = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}(x_0, y_0)$. (2)

• $u, v \in C^1(G)$ (u, v have continuous partial derivatives) $\Rightarrow f$ is $\mathbb{R}$ -diff. on G .

P2 Let $f = u + iv: G \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, $z_0 = x_0 + iy_0 \in G$. f is $\mathbb{R}$ -diff. at $z_0 \iff$

$$\iff \exists \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}, \exists \omega: G \setminus \{z_0\} \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \text{ s.t. } \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \omega(z) = 0, \\ f(z) = f(z_0) + \alpha(x - x_0) + \beta(y - y_0) + \omega(z)|z - z_0|, z = x + iy \in G \setminus \{z_0\}.$$

Proof: $f = u + iv$ is $\mathbb{R}$ -diff. at $z_0 \iff \exists a_1, b_1, a_2, b_2 \in \mathbb{R}, \exists \omega_1, \omega_2: G \setminus \{z_0\} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$\text{s.t. } \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (x_0, y_0)} \omega_1(x, y) = \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (x_0, y_0)} \omega_2(x, y) = 0 \text{ and}$$

$$u(x, y) + i v(x, y) = u(x_0, y_0) + i v(x_0, y_0) + (a_1 + i a_2)(x - x_0) + (b_1 + i b_2)(y - y_0) + (\omega_1(x, y) + i \omega_2(x, y))\|(x - x_0, y - y_0)\|, x + iy \in G \setminus \{z_0\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha &= a_1 + i a_2 \\ \beta &= b_1 + i b_2 \\ \omega(z) &= \omega_1(x, y) + i \omega_2(x, y) \\ f(z) &= u(x, y) + i v(x, y) \end{aligned} \Rightarrow f(z) = f(z_0) + \alpha(x - x_0) + \beta(y - y_0) + \omega(z)|z - z_0|, z = x + iy \in G \setminus \{z_0\}.$$

$$\nabla \alpha = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x_0, y_0) + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}(x_0, y_0), \beta = \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}(x_0, y_0) + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}(x_0, y_0). \quad (2')$$

The Cauchy - Riemann theorem

T (the characterization of complex differentiable functions)

Let $G \subseteq \mathbb{C}$ be open, $f = u + iv: G \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, $z_0 = x_0 + iy_0 \in G$.

Then: f is differentiable at $z_0 \iff$

$\iff f$ is $\mathbb{R}$ -differentiable at z_0 and

$$(*) \begin{cases} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x_0, y_0) = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}(x_0, y_0) \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}(x_0, y_0) = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}(x_0, y_0). \end{cases}$$

(*) is called the Cauchy - Riemann system (conditions) of $f = u + iv$ at z_0 .

Proof: $\Rightarrow$ Assume that f is diff. at z_0 .

P_1 with (1) $\Rightarrow \exists \alpha = f'(z_0)$, $\exists \omega: G \setminus \{z_0\} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ s.t. $\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \omega(z) = 0$

$$\text{and } f(z) = f(z_0) + \alpha(z - z_0) + \omega(z)|z - z_0|, \quad z \in G \setminus \{z_0\}$$

$$= f(z_0) + \alpha(x - x_0) + \underbrace{i\alpha}_{\beta}(y - y_0) + \omega(z)|z - z_0|.$$

$P_2 \Rightarrow f$ is $\mathbb{R}$ -diff. at z_0 and

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \alpha &= \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x_0, y_0) + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}(x_0, y_0) \cdot i \\ i\alpha &= \beta = \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}(x_0, y_0) + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}(x_0, y_0) \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} i \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x_0, y_0) - \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}(x_0, y_0) &= \\ i \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}(x_0, y_0) + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}(x_0, y_0) &= \end{aligned} (*)$$

$\Leftarrow$ Assume that f is $\mathbb{R}$ -diff. at z_0 and $(*)$ holds.

P_2 with (2) $\Rightarrow \exists \alpha = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x_0, y_0) + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}(x_0, y_0)$, $\exists \beta = \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}(x_0, y_0) + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}(x_0, y_0)$,
 $\exists \omega: G \setminus \{z_0\} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ s.t. $\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \omega(z) = 0$ and

$$f(z) = f(z_0) + \alpha(x - x_0) + \beta(y - y_0) + \omega(z)|z - z_0|, \quad z = x + iy \in G \setminus \{z_0\}$$

$$(*) \Rightarrow \beta = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}(x_0, y_0) + i \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x_0, y_0) = i \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x_0, y_0) + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}(x_0, y_0) \right)$$

$$\beta = i\alpha \Rightarrow f(z) = f(z_0) + \alpha(x - x_0) + i\alpha(y - y_0) + \omega(z)|z - z_0|, \quad z = x + iy \in G \setminus \{z_0\}$$

$$= f(z_0) + \alpha(z - z_0) + \omega(z)|z - z_0|$$

$\Rightarrow f$ is $\mathbb{C}$ -diff. at z_0 . $\square \Rightarrow f$ is diff. at z_0 .

! All the conditions in the C-R theorem are essential.

Ex 1 $f: \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, $f(z) = \bar{z}$, $z \in \mathbb{C}$.

$$f = u + iv \Rightarrow u(x, y) = x, \\ v(x, y) = -y, \quad z = x + iy \in \mathbb{C}.$$

f is $\mathbb{R}$ -diff. on $\mathbb{C}$ (see Remark 1), but

f is not diff. at any $z = x + iy \in \mathbb{C}$, because

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x, y) = 1 \neq \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}(x, y) = -1 \Rightarrow (*) \text{ does not hold.}$$

Ex. 2 $f: \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, $f(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{xy}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}} + i \frac{xy}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}} & , z = x+iy \in \mathbb{C}^* \\ 0 & , z = 0 \end{cases}$,

is cont. on $\mathbb{C}$, $f = u+iv$, u, v have partial derivatives and satisfy the C.-R. sys. at $z = 0$, but f is not diff. at $z = 0$.