

Complex Functions (1A)

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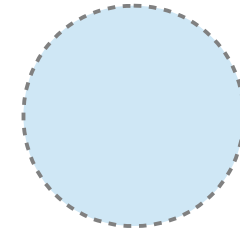
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Concepts of Sets

An **open** set S

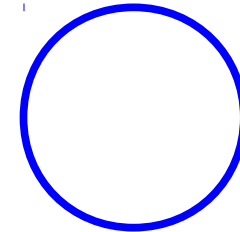
Every point of S has a **neighborhood** consisting entirely of **points that belong to S**

{ points in the interior of a circle }



A **boundary point** set S

A point every neighborhood of which contains both **points that belong to S** and **points that do *not* belong to S**

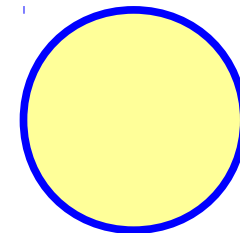


The **boundary of** a set S

The set of **all boundary points** of a set S

An **closed** set

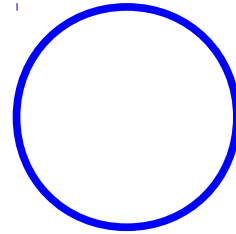
If its **complement** set is open



Neighborhood

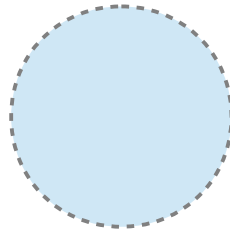
A **circle** of radius ρ and center a

$$|z - a| = \rho$$



Open circular disk

$$|z - a| < \rho$$

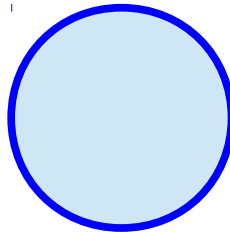


A **neighborhood** of a

ρ -neighborhood of a

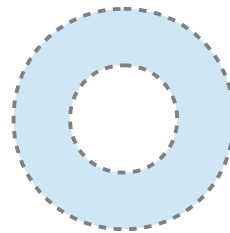
Closed circular disk

$$|z - a| \leq \rho$$



Open annulus

$$\rho_1 < |z - a| < \rho_2$$

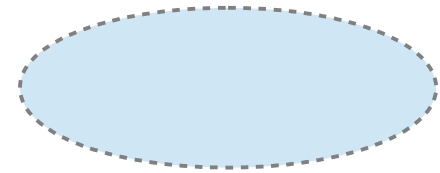


Domain and Region

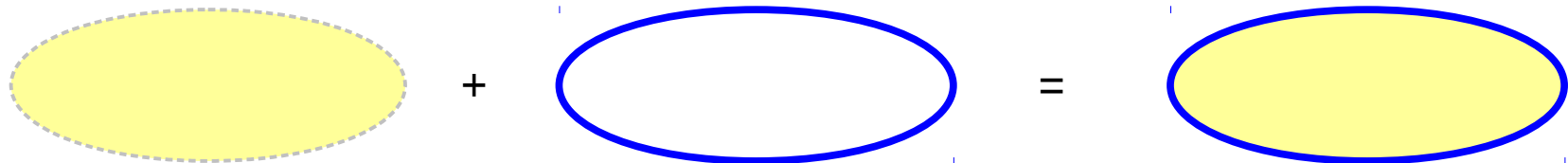
A **connected** set S

Any two of its points can be **joined by a broken line**
of **finitely** many **straight-line segments**
all of whose points **belong to S**

An **open connected** set S : a **domain**



An **open connected** set S +
some or **all** of its **boundary points** : a **region**



Derivatives

the complex function f is defined in a neighborhood of a point z_0

Derivative (function) of f

$$f'(z) = \frac{df}{dz} = \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta f}{\Delta z}$$

Derivative of f at z_0

$$f'(z_0) = \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(z_0 + \Delta z) - f(z_0)}{\Delta z}$$

Δz can approach zero
from any convenient direction

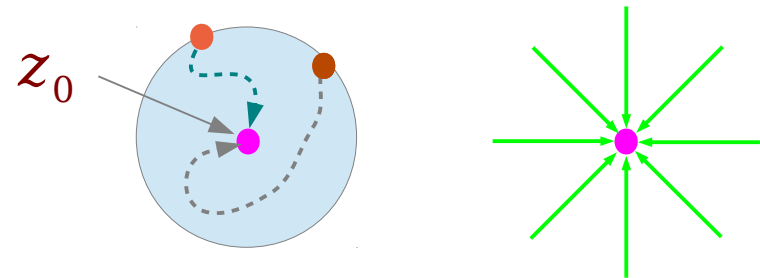
If the limit exists
 f is said to be **differentiable** at z_0

a unique derivative

complex differentiable



A neighborhood property
“holomorphic”



Analytic Functions

a complex function f is
analytic at a point z_0



f **differentiable** at z_0 and
 f **differentiable** at every point
in some *neighborhood* of z_0

holomorphic

a neighborhood property

a complex function f is
analytic in a domain D



f **analytic** at every point z_0
in the domain D

a complex function f is
an **entire** function



f **analytic** at every point z_0
in the entire complex plane

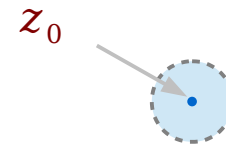
polynomial functions

Analytic Functions – a neighborhood property

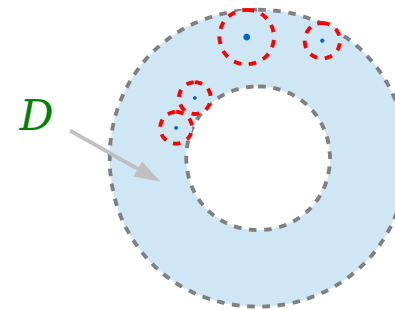
a complex function f is **analytic** at a point z_0

a complex function f is **analytic** in a domain D

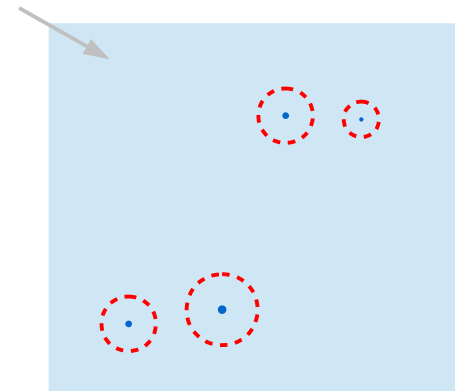
a complex function f is an **entire** function



always can find some neighborhood where the function is complex differentiable at each point



the whole complex plane



Analytic Function Examples

A complex function can be differentiable at a point z_0
but differentiable nowhere else



not an **analytic** function



$$f(z) = |z|^2 = z\bar{z} = x^2 + y^2$$

$$f'(0) = \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y)^2}{\Delta x + i\Delta y} = 0$$

$$f'(z) = \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x + \Delta x)^2 + (y + \Delta y)^2 - x^2 - y^2}{\Delta x + i\Delta y}$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x + \Delta x)^2 - x^2}{\Delta x} \quad (\Delta y = 0) \\ \lim_{\Delta y \rightarrow 0} \frac{(y + \Delta y)^2 - y^2}{i\Delta y} \quad (\Delta x = 0) \end{array} \right.$$

differentiable at zero but
differentiable nowhere else

~~analytic~~

$$f(z) = z^2$$

differentiable everywhere in
the complex plane

analytic everywhere



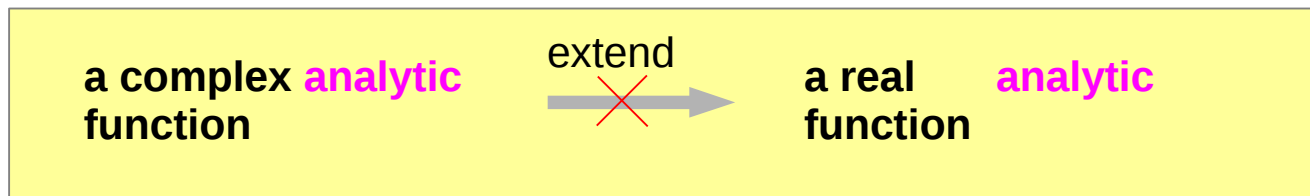
entire function

Extending Complex Analytic Functions

If a **complex analytic function** is defined in an **open ball** around a point x_0 , its **power series expansion** at x_0 is **convergent** in the **whole ball** (analyticity of holomorphic functions).

The corresponding statement for **real analytic functions** (with open interval of the real line) is not true in general;

an example for $x_0 = 1$ and a ball of radius exceeding 1, since the power series $f(x) = 1 - x^2 + x^4 - x^6 \dots$ diverges for $|x| > 1$.



The Radius of Convergence ≤ 1

$$f(x) = 1 - x^2 + x^4 - x^6 + \cdots + (-1)^n x^{2n} + \cdots$$

Differentiable everywhere in the real line

$$f(x) \iff \frac{1}{1+x^2} \quad \text{Converge when } |x| < 1$$

Differentiable at 0 and at every point in an open set $(-1, +1)$

Differentiable everywhere

$$f(z) = 1 - z^2 + z^4 - z^6 + \cdots + (-1)^n z^{2n} + \cdots$$

Differentiable everywhere in the complex plane

entire function

$$f(z) \iff \frac{1}{1+z^2} \quad \text{Converge when } |z| < 1$$

Differentiable at 0 and at every point in an open set a ball of radius ≤ 1

rational function
Not differentiable at $+i, -i$

$$|z| < R, \quad R \leq 1$$

The Radius of Convergence > 1

$$f(z) = 1 - z^2 + z^4 - z^6 + \dots + (-1)^n z^{2n} + \dots$$

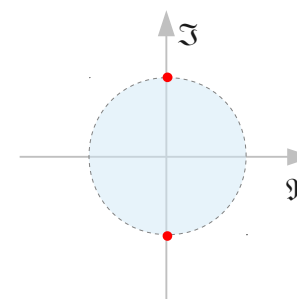
complex

$$f(z) \text{ converges to } \frac{1}{1+z^2} \text{ for } |z| < 1$$

$$f(x) = 1 - x^2 + x^4 - x^6 + \dots + (-1)^n x^{2n} + \dots$$

real

$$f(x) \text{ converges to } \frac{1}{1+x^2} \text{ for } |x| < 1$$



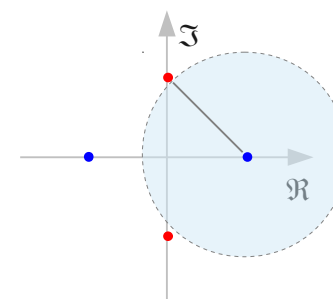
$$f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (z-1)^n$$

complex

$$f(z) \text{ converges to } \frac{1}{1+z^2} \text{ for } |z-1| < \sqrt{2}$$

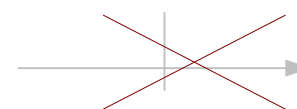
the radius of convergence

The distance from the center to the nearest isolated singularity



$$|z-1| < \sqrt{2}$$

➡ No corresponding case for real analytic function

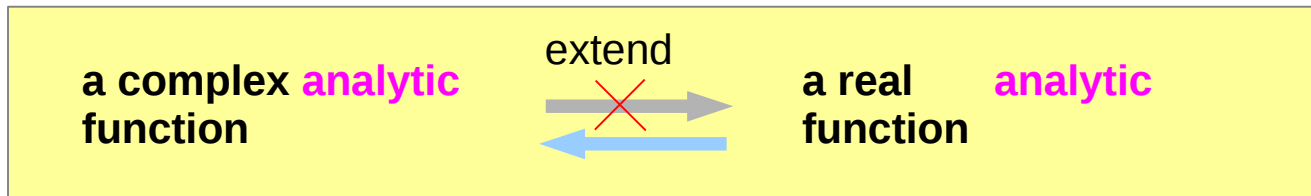


Extending Real Analytic Functions

Any **real analytic function** on **some open set** on the real line can be **extended** to a **complex analytic function** on **some open set** of the complex plane.

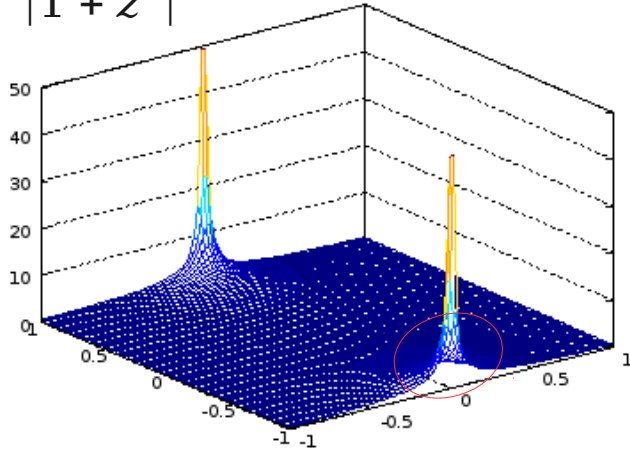
However, **not every real analytic function** defined on the **whole** real line can be **extended** to a **complex analytic** defined on the **whole** complex plane.

$f(x) = 1 - x^2 + x^4 - x^6 \dots$ is a counterexample, as it is not defined for $x = \pm i$.

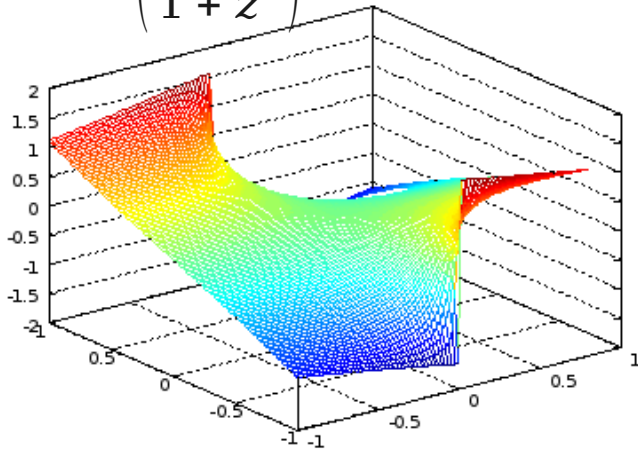


Examples of Complex Analytic Functions

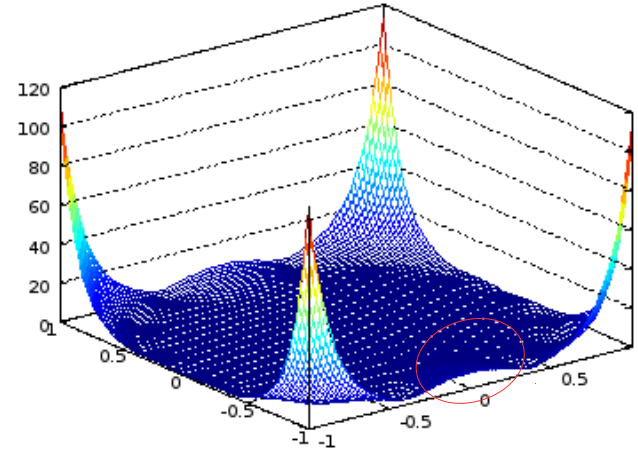
$$\left| \frac{1}{1+z^2} \right|$$



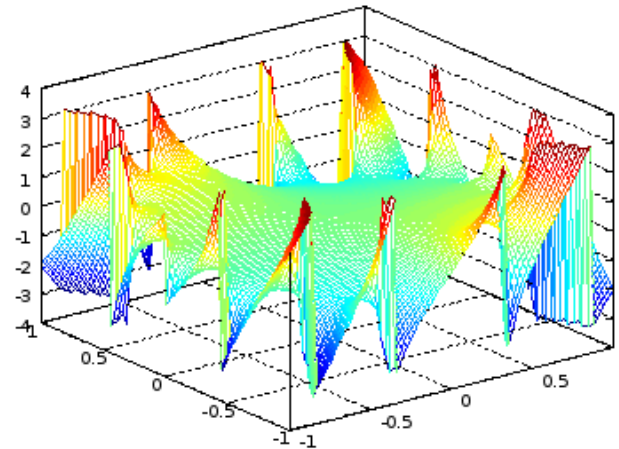
$$\arg\left(\frac{1}{1+z^2}\right)$$



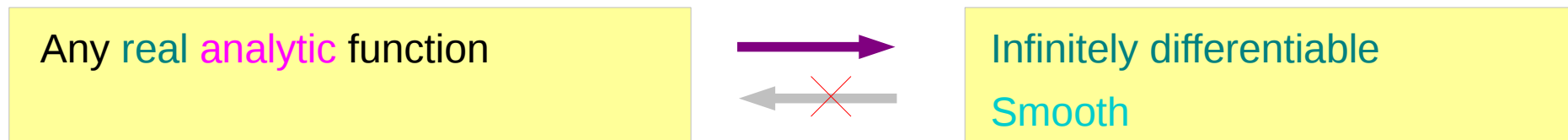
$$\left| 1 - z^2 + z^4 - z^6 + z^8 - z^{10} + z^{12} - z^{14} \right|$$



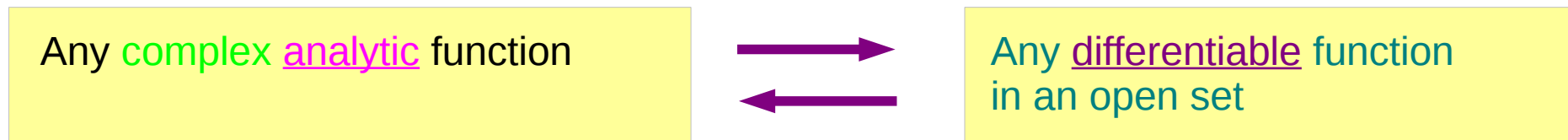
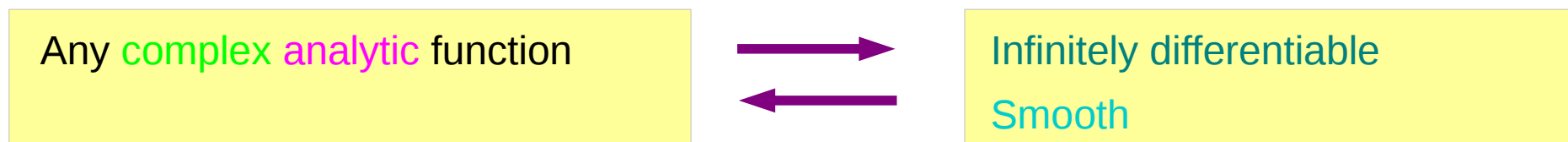
$$\arg(1 - z^2 + z^4 - z^6 + z^8 - z^{10} + z^{12} - z^{14})$$



Analyticity and Differentiability



There exist a non-analytic smooth function



Any complex analytic function



Any complex holomorphic function

Other Definitions of Analyticity

A function $f(z)$ is **analytic** (or **regular** or **holomorphic** or **monogenic**) in a **region** if it has a (unique) derivative at every point of the region.

The statement $f(z)$ is **analytic** at a point $z=z_0$ means that $f(z)$ has a derivative at every point inside some small circle about $z=z_0$.

Isolated points and curves are not regions; a region must be two dimensional

M. L. Boas, "Mathematical methods in the physical sciences"

A function $f(z)$ is said to be **analytic** in a domain D if $f(z)$ is defined and differentiable at all points of D .

The function $f(z)$ is said to be **analytic** at a point $z=z_0$ in D if $f(z)$ is analytic in a neighborhood of z_0 .

Also, by an **analytic** function we mean a function that is analytic in some domain

E. Kreyszig, "Advanced Engineering Mathematics"

General Definitions of Analyticity

A function that is locally given by a **convergent power series**.

A function is **analytic** if and only if its **Taylor series** about x_0 *converges* to the function in some **neighborhood** for every x_0 in its domain.

real analytic functions \Rightarrow **infinitely differentiable**

complex analytic functions \Rightarrow **infinitely differentiable**

Complex analytic functions exhibit properties that do not hold generally for real analytic functions.

Complex Analytic Functions

$$f'(z) = \frac{df}{dz} = \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta f}{\Delta z}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta f &= f(z + \Delta z) - f(z) \\ \Delta z &= \Delta x + i\Delta y\end{aligned}$$

complex differentiable

$f(z)$: **analytic**
in a region



$f(z)$ has a (unique) derivative
at every point of the region

$f(z)$: **analytic**
at a point $z = a$



$f(z)$ has a (unique) derivative
at every point of some small
circle about $z = a$

Singular Point

Regular point of $f(z)$



a point at which
 $f(z)$ is **analytic**

Singular point of $f(z)$

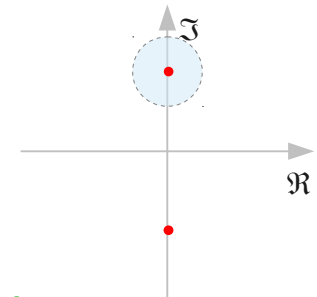


a point at which
 $f(z)$ is **not analytic**

Isolated Singular point of $f(z)$

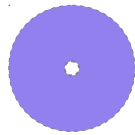


a point at which
 $f(z)$ is **analytic**
everywhere else
inside some small circle
about **the singular point**



Isolated Singularity

Isolated Singularity of $f(z)$
 $z=z_0$



If $z=z_0$ has a neighborhood *without further singularities* of $f(z)$



There exists some *deleted neighborhood* or *punctured open disk* of z_0 throughout which $f(z)$ is **analytic**

$$0 < |z - z_0| < R$$

$\tan(z)$ $\pm\pi/2, \pm3\pi/2, \dots$

$\tan(1/z)$ 0

Isolated Singularity

Non-isolated Singularity

Non-isolated Singularity

Cluster points: limit points of isolated singularities. If they are all poles, despite admitting Laurent series expansions on each of them, no such expansion is possible at its limit

$$f(z) = \tan(1/z)$$

simple poles $z_n = \frac{1}{(\pi/2 + n\pi)}$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} z_n = 0$$

Every punctured disk centered at 0 has an infinite number of singularities. No Laurent expansion

Natural boundaries: non-isolated set (e.g. a curve) which functions can not be analytically continued around (or outside them if they are closed curves in the Riemann sphere).

$$f(z) = \operatorname{Ln} z$$

the branch point 0
and the negative axis

Every neighborhood of z_0 contains at least one singularity of $f(z)$ other than z_0

Being analytic means (1)

$$f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$$

: **differentiable** at a point

$$z = x + iy$$



$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = - \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}$$

Δz can approach zero
from any convenient direction z_0
a unique derivative

**Necessary condition
for analyticity**

$$f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial y}$$

$$f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \quad \frac{\partial}{\partial y}$$

Being analytic means (2)

$f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$: **differentiable** at a point $z = x + iy$

➔ $f'(z)$ exists

$$f'(z) = \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(z_0 + \Delta z) - f(z_0)}{\Delta z} \quad \Delta z = \Delta x + i\Delta y$$
$$= \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{u(x+\Delta x, y+\Delta y) + iv(x+\Delta x, y+\Delta y) - u(x, y) - iv(x, y)}{\Delta z}$$

horizontal approach

$$\Delta z \rightarrow 0$$

➔ $\Delta x \rightarrow 0$

$\Delta y = 0$

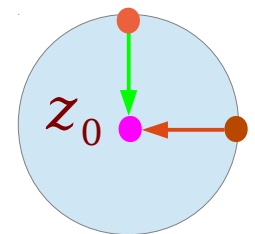
vertical approach

$$\Delta z \rightarrow 0$$

➔ $\Delta y \rightarrow 0$

$\Delta x = 0$

must have
the same
 $f'(z)$

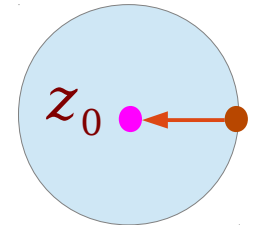


Being analytic means (3)

horizontal approach

$$\Delta z \rightarrow 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad \Delta x \rightarrow 0 \quad \Delta y = 0$$

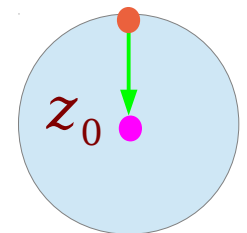
$$\begin{aligned} f'(z) &= \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{u(x+\Delta x, y+\Delta y) + i v(x+\Delta x, y+\Delta y) - u(x, y) - i v(x, y)}{\Delta z} \\ &= \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{u(x+\Delta x, y) - u(x, y)}{\Delta x} + i \frac{v(x+\Delta x, y) - v(x, y)}{\Delta x} \\ &= \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \end{aligned}$$



vertical approach

$$\Delta z \rightarrow 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad \Delta y \rightarrow 0 \quad \Delta x = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} f'(z) &= \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{u(x+\Delta x, y+\Delta y) + i v(x+\Delta x, y+\Delta y) - u(x, y) - i v(x, y)}{\Delta z} \\ &= \lim_{\Delta z \rightarrow 0} \frac{u(x, y+\Delta y) - u(x, y)}{i \Delta y} + i \frac{v(x, y+\Delta y) - v(x, y)}{i \Delta y} \\ &= -i \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = -i \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \end{aligned}$$

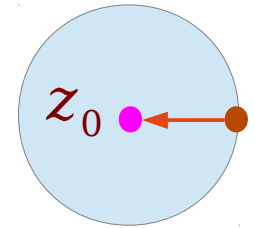


Being analytic means (4)

horizontal approach

$$\Delta z \rightarrow 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \Delta x \rightarrow 0 \quad \Delta y = 0$$

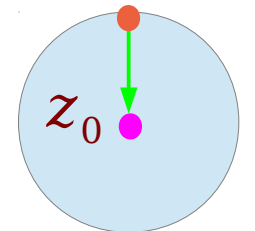
$$f'(z) = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}$$



vertical approach

$$\Delta z \rightarrow 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \Delta y \rightarrow 0 \quad \Delta x = 0$$

$$f'(z) = -i \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = -i \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$$



$$f'(z) = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -i \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \quad \Rightarrow$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}$$

Cauchy-Riemann equations

Being analytic means (5)

$f(z) = u(x, y) + i v(x, y)$: **analytic** in a region R



derivatives of all orders at points inside region

$f'(z_0), f''(z_0), f^{(3)}(z_0), f^{(4)}(z_0), f^{(5)}(z_0), \dots$

Infinitely differentiable

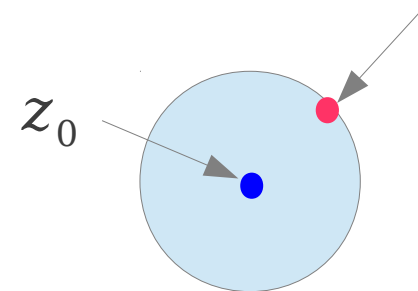
Smooth



Taylor series expansion about any point z_0 inside the region

The power series **converges** inside the circle about z_0

This circle extends to the nearest **singular point**



A function that is locally given by a **convergent power series**.

Being analytic means (6)

$f(z) = u(x, y) + i v(x, y)$: **analytic** in a region R



$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0$$

satisfy **Laplace's equation** in the region
harmonic functions

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0$$

satisfy **Laplace's equation** in
simply connected region



$u(x, y), v(x, y)$

real and **imaginary** part of
an **analytic** function $f(z)$

The necessary and sufficient conditions

$$f(z) = u(x, y) + i v(x, y) : \text{analytic in a domain } D$$



$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}$$

$$f(z) = u(x, y) + i v(x, y) : \text{analytic in a domain } D$$



$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}$$

$u(x, y), v(x, y)$: **continuous** on in a domain D

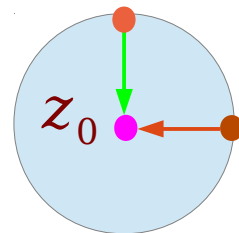
$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial v}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$: **continuous** on in a domain D

To Be Analytic (1)

if the real functions $u(x,y)$ and $v(x,y)$ are **continuous**
and have **continuous** first order partial derivatives
in a neighborhood of z ,
and if $u(x,y)$ and $v(x,y)$ satisfy
the **Cauchy-Riemann equations** at the point z ,

then the complex function $f(z) = u(x,y) + iv(x,y)$
is **differentiable** at z
and $f'(z)$ is as follows.

$$f'(z) = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} - i \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}$$



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