

COMPLEX ANALYSIS EXAM – FALL 2025

All problems are of equal weight. Please arrange your solutions in numerical order even if you do not solve them in that order. Show work and carefully justify/prove your assertions.

Problem 1. (20 points) For $a > 0$, compute:

$$\int_0^\infty \frac{x \sin x}{x^2 + a^2} dx$$

using contour integration.

Problem 2. (20 points) Let R, M be positive constants and let $\mathbb{D}_R, \mathbb{D}_M$ denote the open discs of radii R and M , respectively. Let $f : \mathbb{D}_R \rightarrow \mathbb{D}_M$ be holomorphic with $f(0) = 0$.

- (a) Prove that $|f(z)| \leq \frac{M|z|}{R}$ for all $z \in \mathbb{D}_R$.
- (b) Suppose that $|f'(0)| = \frac{M}{R}$. Show that $f(z)$ is a composition of dilation and rotation.
- (c) Suppose f has two distinct fixed points in \mathbb{D}_R . Prove that $f(z) = \frac{Mz}{R}$.

Problem 3. (20 points)

- (a) Let α be a complex number of modulus $|\alpha| > e = \exp(1)$. How many solutions the equation

$$\alpha z \exp(z) = 1$$

has in \mathbb{D} (the open unit disc)?

- (b) Let f be meromorphic in $\overline{\mathbb{D}}$ with no zeros/poles on $\partial\mathbb{D}$. If $|f(z)| = 1$ on $\partial\mathbb{D}$, show that the number of zeros equals the number of poles inside \mathbb{D} .

Problem 4. (20 points) Let $G = \mathbb{C} \setminus \{(-\infty, -1] \cup [1, \infty)\}$. Find a conformal map from G to the upper half-plane \mathbb{H} .

Problem 5. (20 points) Let $F(z)$ be holomorphic near z_0 with $F(z_0) = F'(z_0) = 0$ and $F''(z_0) \neq 0$.

- (a) Show that there exist two curves Γ_1, Γ_2 intersecting orthogonally at z_0 where F is real-valued.
- (b) Prove that F has a saddle point at z_0 .

Problem 6. (20 points) Let $f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n$ have radius of convergence r , with a simple pole at z_0 where $|z_0| = r$.

(a) Prove that $a_n \neq 0$ for all sufficiently large n .

(b) Show that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{a_{n+1}} = z_0$.

Problem 7. (20 points) Let $\{f_k(z)\}, k = 1, 2, 3, \dots$, be a sequence of functions holomorphic in \mathbb{D} (the open unit disc). Suppose that

$$F(z) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} f_k(z)$$

is uniformly convergent in \mathbb{D} . Prove that $F(z)$ is holomorphic in \mathbb{D} .

Good Luck!