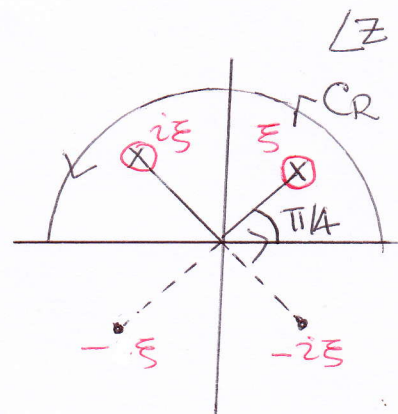


§§7.3
Q9

$$\int_0^{\infty} \frac{x^2+1}{(x^4+1)^2} dx = \frac{\pi}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\int_0^{\infty} \frac{x^2+1}{(x^4+1)^2} dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{x^2+1}{(x^4+1)^2} dx$$

$$= \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2} \int_{-R}^R \frac{z^2+1}{(z^4+1)^2} dz$$



The contour can be closed by adding a semicircle of radius R in upper half plane. The semicircle does not contribute to the integral in the limit $R \rightarrow \infty$.

$$\int_0^{\infty} \frac{x^2+1}{(x^4+1)^2} dx = \frac{1}{2} \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \oint_{C_R} \frac{z^2+1}{(z^4+1)^2} dz$$

Singular points in the upper half plane are at $z_{1,2} = e^{i\pi/4}, e^{3i\pi/4}$ and are double poles.

$$\text{Residue } \frac{z^2+1}{(z^4+1)^2} \Big|_{z=z_k} = \lim_{z \rightarrow z_k} \frac{d}{dz} \frac{(z^2+1)(z-z_k)^2}{(z^4+1)^2}$$

Use ξ to denote any one of the singular points z_k .

$$\text{Then } \xi^4 = -1, (z^4+1) = (z^4 - \xi^4) = (z-\xi)(z+\xi)(z^2+\xi^2)$$

$$\text{Res } \frac{z^2+1}{(z^4+1)^2} \Big|_{z=\xi} = \lim_{z \rightarrow \xi} \frac{d}{dz} \frac{(z-\xi)^2 (z^2+1)}{(z^4 - \xi^4)^2}$$

$$= \lim_{z \rightarrow \xi} \frac{d}{dz} \frac{(z^2+1)}{(z+\xi)^2 (z^2+\xi^2)^2}$$

$$\text{Residue } \frac{z^2+1}{(z^4+1)^2} \Big|_{z=\xi}$$

$$\xi = e^{i\pi/4}, e^{3i\pi/4}$$

$$\xi^4 = -1$$

$$= \frac{d}{dz} \frac{(z-\xi)^2(z^2+1)}{(z-\xi)^2(z+\xi)^2(z^2+\xi^2)^2} \Big|_{z=\xi} \quad \because \frac{1}{(z^4+1)^2} = \frac{1}{(z^4-\xi^4)^2}$$

$$= \frac{d}{dz} \frac{(z^2+1)}{(z+\xi)^2(z^2+\xi^2)^2} \Big|_{z=\xi} = \frac{1}{(z-\xi)^2(z+\xi)^2(z^2+\xi^2)^2}$$

$$= \left[\frac{2z}{(z+\xi)^2(z^2+\xi^2)^2} + \frac{(z^2+1)(-2)}{(z+\xi)^3(z^2+\xi^2)^2} + \frac{(z^2+1)(-2)(2z)}{(z+\xi)^2(z^2+\xi^2)^3} \right]_{z=\xi}$$

$$= \left(\frac{2\xi}{4\xi^2 \cdot 4\xi^6} - \frac{2(\xi^2+1)}{8\xi^3 \cdot 4\xi^4} - \frac{2 \cdot 2(\xi^2+1)\xi}{4\xi^2 \cdot 8\xi} \right) \Big|_{z=\xi}$$

$$= \left(\frac{\xi^3}{8} - \frac{2(\xi^2+1)\xi}{32} - \frac{4(\xi^2+1)\xi}{32} \right) \quad \text{Use } \xi^8 = 1$$

$$= \left(\frac{\xi^3}{8} - \frac{3\xi^3+3\xi}{16} \right)$$

$$= \frac{-\xi^3-3\xi}{16}$$

\therefore Sum of residues in upper half plane

$$= \frac{-z_1^3-3z_1}{16} - \frac{z_2^3-3z_2}{16}$$

$$z_1 = e^{i\pi/4} = \frac{1+i}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$z_2 = e^{3i\pi/4} = \frac{-1+i}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$= \frac{-iz_1-3z_1}{16} + \frac{iz_2-3z_2}{16}$$

$$z_1^3 = iz_1 \quad z_2^3 = -iz_2$$

$$= \frac{i(z_2-z_1)-3(z_1+z_2)}{16} = \frac{-2i-6i}{16\sqrt{2}} = \frac{-i}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\therefore \text{Given Integral} = \frac{1}{2} \times 2\pi i \times \left(\frac{-i}{2\sqrt{2}} \right) = \frac{\pi}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

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