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Math 446
Second Midterm Exam
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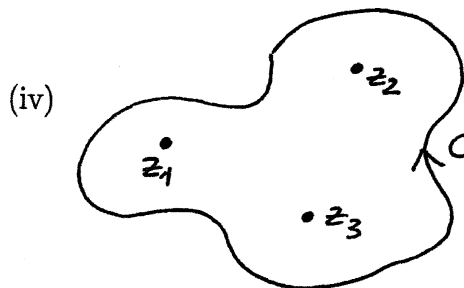
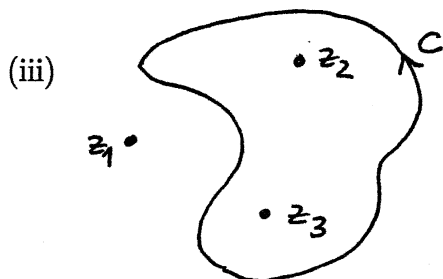
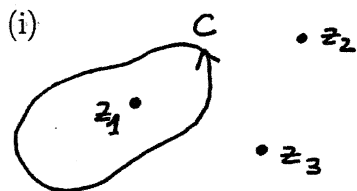
[1] (8 pts) Let z_1, z_2, z_3 be three distinct complex numbers and let

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{z - z_1} + \frac{1}{z - z_2} + \frac{1}{z - z_3}.$$

Indicate the value of the integral

$$\int_C f(z) dz$$

in each of the following four situations:



[2] (6 pts.) State the Cauchy Integral Formula:

- (i) for $f(z_0)$ expressed as a contour integral;
- (ii) for $f^{(n)}(z_0)$ expressed as a contour integral ($n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$).

[3] (6 pts) Let f be an entire function such that $|f(z) - 2| \geq 1$ for every z . Prove that f is a constant function.

[4] (10 pts) Find the two possible Laurent expansions centered at 0 of the function

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{z^2 - z}.$$

[5] (8 pts) Compute the coefficients a_0, a_1, a_2 and a_3 in the Taylor expansion

$$\frac{e^z}{1+z} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n = a_0 + a_1 z + a_2 z^2 + \cdots \quad (|z| < 1).$$

[6] (12 pts) Consider the function $f(z) = \frac{1}{z^3(z-1)}$. Compute the following:

(i) $\operatorname{Res}_{z=1} f(z)$; (ii) $\operatorname{Res}_{z=0} f(z)$;

(iii) $\int_C f(z) dz$ where C is the positively oriented circle $|z| = 2$.