

Math 423/823 Exercise Set 6

Due Thursday, Mar. 17

21. [BC#4.38.4] The integral $\int_0^\pi e^{(1+i)x} dx$ is, technically, equal to

$$\int_0^\pi e^x \cos x dx + i \int_0^\pi e^x \sin x dx$$

Evaluate these two integrals $\int_0^\pi e^x \cos x dx$ and $\int_0^\pi e^x \sin x dx$ by applying the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus (p.119, bottom) directly to the top integral and equating the real and imaginary parts.

22. Find a parametrization of the curve which follows the circle of radius 2 counterclockwise from $z = 2$ to $z = 2i$, followed by the line segment that runs from $z = 2i$ to $z = -1$.

[Note: there are literally an infinite number of ways to answer this question (correctly!); take pity on your poor instructor when choosing your parametrization....]

23. [BC#3.42.1(part)] Find the integrals $\int_C \frac{z+2}{z} dz$, where

(a): C is the semicircle $z = 2e^{i\theta}$, $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$

(c): C is the circle $z = 2e^{i\theta}$, $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$

24. [BC#4.42.8] Find the integral $\int_C z^n (\bar{z})^m dz$, where C is the unit circle $|z| = 1$ traversed in a counterclockwise direction.

[Note: you will find it helpful to know that $\int_0^{2\pi} e^{ik\theta} d\theta$ is 0 if $k \neq 0$, and 2π if $k = 0$.

You need not prove this.]

Extra credit: why does it not matter where we choose to start our parametrization of the circle (i.e., at what point along the circle)?