Formula sheet

Numbers: z = x + iy (algebraic form), $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$, $i^2 = -1$, $\overline{z} = x - iy$

Real and imaginary parts: $x = \text{Re}(z) = \frac{z + \overline{z}}{2}$, $y = \text{Im}(z) = \frac{z - \overline{z}}{2i}$

Basic operations: If $z_1 = x_1 + iy_1$ and $z_2 = x_2 + iy_2$, then

 $z_1 \pm z_2 = (x_1 \pm x_2) + i(y_1 \pm y_2), \ z_1 \cdot z_2 = (x_1 x_2 - y_1 y_2) + i(y_1 x_2 + x_1 y_2)$

$$\frac{z_1}{z_2} = \frac{x_1 x_2 + y_1 y_2}{x_2^2 + y_2^2} + i \frac{y_1 x_2 - x_1 y_2}{x_2^2 + y_2^2}, \quad z_2 \neq 0$$

Polar form: $z = r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta), r \ge 0, \theta \in (-\pi, \pi]$

Modulus: $r = |z| = \sqrt{z\overline{z}} = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$

Argument: $\theta = \operatorname{Arg}(z)$ (principal value), $\operatorname{arg}(z) = \operatorname{Arg}(z) + 2\pi k$, $k \in \mathbb{Z}$

Identities: $\overline{z_1 + z_2} = \overline{z}_1 + \overline{z}_2$, $|\overline{z}| = |z|$, $\arg(\overline{z}) = -\arg(z)$

$$|z_1 z_2| = |z_1||z_2|$$
, $\arg(z_1 z_2) = \arg(z_1) + \arg(z_2)$

$$\left| \frac{z_1}{z_2} \right| = \frac{|z_1|}{|z_2|}, \arg\left(\frac{z_1}{z_2}\right) = \arg(z_1) - \arg(z_2)$$

Triangle inequality: $|z_1 + z_2| \le |z_1| + |z_2|$

De Moivre's theorem: $(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^n = \cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta$, $n \in \mathbb{Z}$

Euler's formula: $e^{i\theta} = \cos\theta + i\sin\theta$

Exponential form: $z = re^{i\theta}$

Functions: w = f(z) = f(x + iy) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)

Complex exponential: $e^z := 1 + z + \frac{z^2}{2!} + \frac{z^3}{3!} + \dots = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n!}$

 $e^{z_1+z_2} = e^{z_1}e^{z_2}$, $e^z = e^{x+iy} = e^x e^{iy} = e^x (\cos y + i\sin y)$

Trigonometric functions: $\cos z := \frac{e^{iz} + e^{-iz}}{2}$, $\sin z := \frac{e^{iz} - e^{-iz}}{2i}$

Complex Logarithm: $\text{Log } z := \text{Log } |z| + i \operatorname{Arg} z$ (principal value)

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

Cauchy-Riemann equations: $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$, $\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}$

Laplace's equation: $\frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial u^2} = 0$, solutions are called *harmonic*

Integrals: $\int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = \int_{a}^{b} f(z(t))z'(t) dt$, where γ is a simple smooth curve parameterized by z(t), $a \le t \le b$.

Cauchy's Integral Theorem: $\oint_{\Gamma} f(z) dz = 0$.

Cauchy's Integral Formula: $f(z_0) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_{\Gamma} \frac{f(z)}{z-z_0} dz$.

Cauchy's Differentiation Formula: $f^{(n)}(z_0) = \frac{n!}{2\pi i} \oint_{\Gamma} \frac{f(z)}{(z-z_0)^{n+1}} dz$.

Series: Geometric series: $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} z^k = \frac{1}{1-z}$ if |z| < 1

Taylor series: $f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{f^{(n)}(z_0)}{n!} (z - z_0)^n$

Laurent series: $f(z) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k (z-z_0)^k$ with $a_k = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_{\Gamma} \frac{f(z)}{(z-z_0)^{k+1}} dz$

Singularities: Removable if $a_n = 0$ for all n < 0.

Pole of order m if $a_{-m} \neq 0$, but $a_n = 0$ for all n < -m.

Essential if $a_n \neq 0$ for infinitely many n < 0.

Residues: Res $(f, z_0) = a_{-1}$

If f(z) = h(z)/g(z) has a single pole at z_0 , then $\operatorname{Res}(f, z_0) = h(z_0)/g'(z_0)$

For a pole of order m: $\operatorname{Res}(f, z_0) = \lim_{z \to z_0} \frac{1}{(m-1)!} \frac{d^{m-1}}{dz^{m-1}} [(z - z_0)^m f(z)]$

Residue Theorem: $\oint_{\Gamma} f(z) dz = 2\pi i \sum_{k} \operatorname{Res}(f, z_{k})$ for poles z_{k} inside Γ

Additional results: If f(z) = P(z)/Q(z) with polynomials P,Q such that $\deg Q \geq 2 + \deg P$, then $\lim_{R \to \infty} \int_{C_R^+} f(z) \, dz = 0$ for $C_R^+ = \{z \in \mathbb{C} \mid |z| = R, \ \mathrm{Im}(z) > 0\}$.

Jordan's Lemma: If m>0 and f(z)=P(z)/Q(z) with polynomials P,Q such that $\deg Q\geq 1+\deg P$, then $\lim_{R\to\infty}\int_{C_R^+}f(z)e^{imz}\,dz=0$

Liouville's Theorem: If f is bounded and entire, then f is constant.

Maximum modulus principle: If f is analytic in a domain D and |f(z)| achieves its maximum value at a point z_0 in D, then f is constant in D.

Argument Principle: If f is analytic and nonzero at each point of a simple closed positively-oriented contour C and is meromorphic inside C, then $\frac{1}{2\pi i}\int_C \frac{f'(z)}{f(z)}\,dz=Z-P$ where Z and P are, respectively, the number of zeros and poles of f inside C (counting multiplicities).

Rouché's Theorem. If f and h are analytic inside and on a simple closed contour C and |h(z)| < |f(z)| on C, then f and f+h have the same number of zeros (counting multiplicities) inside C.