



Problem 7 Expand $f(z) = \sin z$ into a Taylor's series about $z = \frac{\pi}{4}$.

Solution:

Given $f(z) = \sin z$

$$f'(z) = \cos z$$

$$f''(z) = -\sin z$$

$$f'''(z) = -\cos z$$

Here $a = \frac{\pi}{4}$

$$\therefore f\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$f'\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$f''\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = -\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$f'''\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = -\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

W.K.T Taylor's series of $f(z)$ at $z = a$ is

$$f(z) = f(a) + \frac{z-a}{1!} f'(a) + \frac{(z-a)^2}{2!} f''(a) + \dots$$

$$f(z) = f\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) + \frac{z-\frac{\pi}{4}}{1!} f'\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) + \frac{\left(z-\frac{\pi}{4}\right)^2}{2!} f''\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) + \dots$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \left(z - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} - \frac{\left(z - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)^2}{2} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) + \dots$$



Problem 5 Expand $f(z) = \frac{z^2 - 1}{(z+2)(z+3)}$ as a Taylor series valid in the

region $|z| < 2$.

Solution:

$$\text{Given } f(z) = \frac{z^2 - 1}{(z+2)(z+3)}$$

$$\text{Now } (z+2)(z+3) = z^2 + 5z + 6$$

$$\therefore \frac{z^2 - 1}{(z+2)(z+3)} = 1 + \frac{-5z - 7}{(z+2)(z+3)}$$

$$\text{Now } \frac{-5z - 7}{(z+2)(z+3)} = \frac{A}{z+2} + \frac{B}{z+3}$$

$$-5z - 7 = A(z+3) + B(z+2)$$

$$\text{Put } z = -2$$

$$A = 3$$

$$\text{Put } z = -3$$

$$B = -8$$

$$\therefore f(z) = 1 + \frac{3}{z+2} - \frac{8}{z+3}$$

$$\text{Given } |z| < 2$$

$$f(z) = 1 + \frac{3}{2\left(1 + \frac{z}{2}\right)} - \frac{8}{3\left(1 + \frac{z}{3}\right)}$$

$$= 1 + \frac{3}{2} \left(1 + \frac{z}{2}\right)^{-1} - \frac{8}{3} \left(1 + \frac{z}{3}\right)^{-1}$$

$$= 1 + \frac{3}{2} \left(1 - \frac{z}{2} + \left(\frac{z}{2}\right)^2 + \dots\right) - \frac{8}{3} \left(1 - \frac{z}{3} + \left(\frac{z}{3}\right)^2 + \dots\right)$$

$$= 1 + \frac{3}{2} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \left(\frac{z}{2}\right)^n - \frac{8}{3} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \left(\frac{z}{3}\right)^n$$

$$f(z) = 1 + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \left[\frac{3}{2^{n+1}} - \frac{8}{3^{n+1}} \right] z^n.$$