



Problem 7 Define Removable singularity

Solution:

A singular point $z = z_0$ is called a removable singularity of $f(z)$ if $\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} f(z)$ exists finitely

Example: For $f(z) = \frac{\sin z}{z}$, $z = 0$ is a removable singularity since $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} f(z) = 1$

Problem 8 Test for singularity of $\frac{1}{z^2 + 1}$ and hence find corresponding residues.

Solution:

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

Here $z = -i$ is a simple pole

$z = i$ is a simple pole

$$\text{Res}(z = i) = \lim_{z \rightarrow i} (z - i) \frac{1}{(z+i)(z-i)}$$

$$= \lim_{z \rightarrow i} \frac{1}{(z+i)} = \frac{1}{2i}$$

$$\text{Res}(z = -i) = \lim_{z \rightarrow -i} (z + i) \frac{1}{(z+i)(z-i)} = \frac{1}{-2i}.$$



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