

$$= + (2k+1)\pi - i \operatorname{Ln}(2+\sqrt{5})$$

Grouping this set of solutions with *

$$\left\{ 2\pi k - i \operatorname{Ln}(\sqrt{5}-2) \mid k \in \mathbb{Z} \right\} \cup \left\{ (2k+1)\pi - i \operatorname{Ln}(2+\sqrt{5}) \mid k \in \mathbb{Z} \right\}$$

Exercise:

Show and use:

$$\cos w = \frac{1}{2} (e^{iw} + e^{-iw})$$

to show that

$$\cos^{-1} z = -i \operatorname{Ln} \left[z + \sqrt{z^2 - 1} \right]$$

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Complex Integration

Recall, definite integrals

e.g. $\int_1^2 x^2 dx$

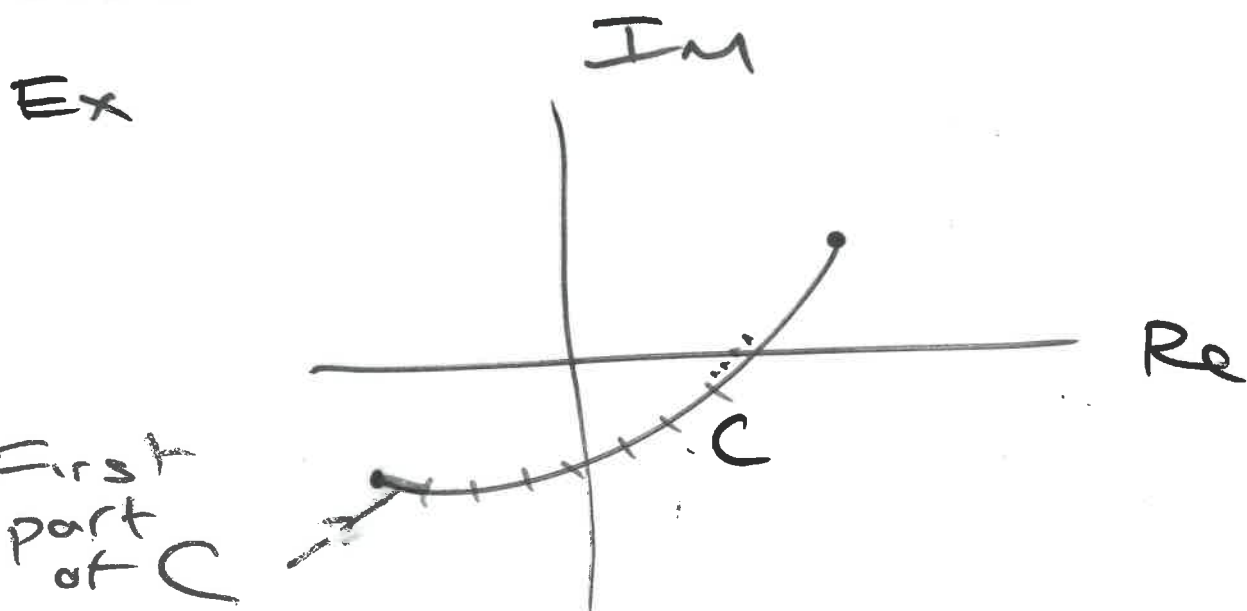
Complex definite integrals
(complex line integrals)

are written as:

$$\int_C f(z) dz$$

Here $f(z)$ — the integrand
is integrated over the
curve C over the complex
plane.

What does this mean?



C is broken into n parts

The function $f(z)$ is valued somewhere in the first part.

This is multiplied by the length of the first part of C giving $f(P_i) \Delta z_i$.

This is done for all the other parts of C and these results are added

$$S_n = \sum_{i=1}^n f(P_i) \Delta z_i$$



The integral is obtained by letting $n \rightarrow \infty$

so

$$\int_C f(z) dz = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n f(P_i) \Delta z_i$$

C is called

the path of integration

C is a closed path
if the end point is
the same as the start
point e.g.  or 
For a closed path C , we have $\oint_C f(z) dz$

General assumption:

All paths of integration
are assumed to be
piecewise smooth i.e.

they consist of finitely
many smooth curves
joined end to end



e.g.




We have two integration
methods.

First some definitions.

A simple closed curve is a closed curve in the complex plane with no self-intersection.

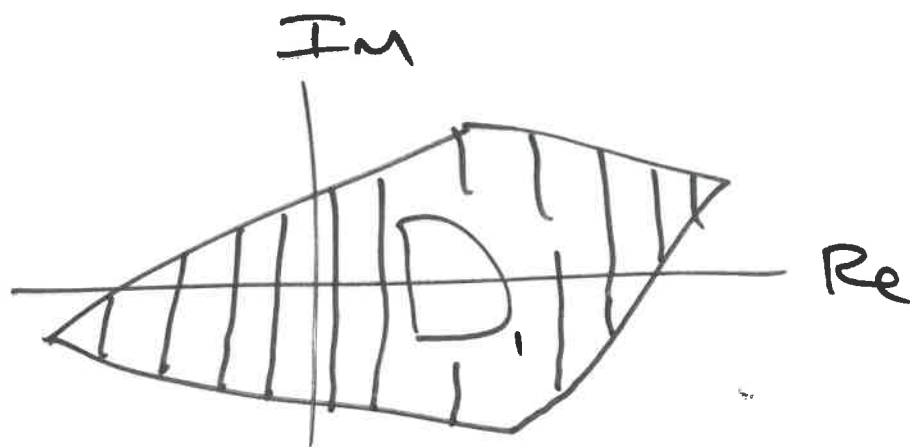
eg  or  are simple closed curves.

 is not a simple closed curve.

A region D in the complex plane is simply connected

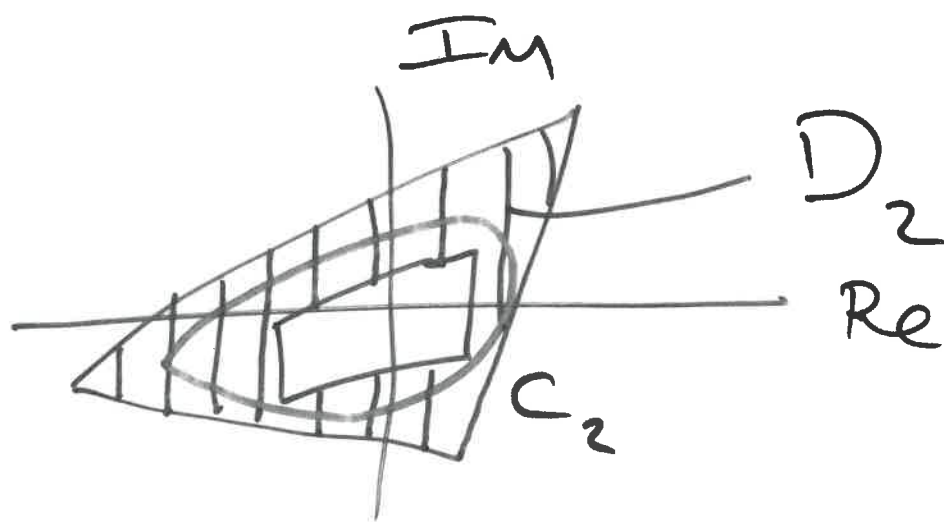
if every simple closed curve in D encloses only points of D .

EX1



D_1 is simply connected because no matter where you draw a simple closed curve in D_1 , the interior of C_1 consists of all points of D_1 .

EX2



D_2 is not simply connected. This is because the interior of C_2 does not fully consist of points in D_2 .

(A simply connected region
in the complex plane
does not have any holes.)

(A simply connected region in the complex plane does not have any holes.)

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The first integration method:

$f(z)$ has to be analytic

Let $f(z)$ be analytic in a

Simply connected domain D ,

then there exists an

indefinite integral of $f(z)$ in D ,

that is, an analytic function $F(z)$

such that $F'(z) = f(z)$ in D

and for all paths in D

joining two points z_0 and z_1 ,

in D