

Solutions - Sections 72, 73, 74

(2a) $z^{\frac{1}{4}}$ is analytic at $z = -1$, so

$$\operatorname{Res}_{-1} \frac{z^{\frac{1}{4}}}{z+1} = (-1)^{\frac{1}{4}} = (e^{i\pi})^{\frac{1}{4}} = e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}} = \frac{1+i}{\sqrt{2}}$$

(2b) $\frac{\operatorname{Log} z}{(z^2+1)^2} = \frac{\operatorname{Log} z}{(z+i)^2(z-i)^2} \cdot \frac{\operatorname{Log} z}{(z+i)^2}$ is analytic at $z = i$. So

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{Res}_i \frac{\operatorname{Log} z}{(z^2+1)^2} &= \left. \frac{d}{dz} \frac{\operatorname{Log} z}{(z+i)^2} \right|_{z=i} \\ &= \left. \frac{\frac{1}{z}(z+i)^2 - (\operatorname{Log} z)2(z+i)}{(z+i)^4} \right|_{z=i} \\ &= \frac{\frac{1}{i}(2i)^2 - (i\frac{\pi}{2})2(2i)}{16} \\ &= \frac{4i + 2\pi}{16} \\ &= \frac{2i + \pi}{8} \end{aligned}$$

(2c) $\frac{z^{\frac{1}{2}}}{(z^2+1)^2} = \frac{z^{\frac{1}{2}}}{(z+i)^2(z-i)^2} \cdot \frac{z^{\frac{1}{2}}}{(z+i)^2}$ is analytic at $z = i$. So

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{Res}_i \frac{z^{\frac{1}{2}}}{(z^2+1)^2} &= \left. \frac{d}{dz} \frac{z^{\frac{1}{2}}}{(z+i)^2} \right|_{z=i} \\ &= \left. \frac{\frac{1}{2}z^{-\frac{1}{2}}(z+i)^2 - (z^{\frac{1}{2}})2(z+i)}{(z+i)^4} \right|_{z=i} \\ &= \frac{\frac{1}{2}e^{-i\frac{\pi}{4}}(2i)^2 - (e^{\frac{\pi}{4}})2(2i)}{16} \\ &= \frac{\frac{1}{2}\frac{1-i}{\sqrt{2}}(-4) - \frac{1+i}{\sqrt{2}}4i}{16} \\ &= \frac{(-1+i)\sqrt{2} + (-i+1)2\sqrt{2}}{16} \\ &= \frac{(1-i)\sqrt{2}}{16} \end{aligned}$$

(3) $f(z) = \frac{3z^3+2}{(z-1)(z^2+9)} = \frac{3z^3+2}{(z-1)(z+3i)(z-3i)}$ has three simple poles, at 1, $3i$ and $-3i$.

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{Res}_1 f(z) &= \frac{3(1)^3 + 2}{(1+3i)(1-3i)} \\ &= \frac{5}{1+9} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{1}{2} \\
\operatorname{Res}_{3i} f(z) &= \frac{3(3i)^3 + 2}{(3i - 1)(3i + 3i)} \\
&= \frac{3(-27i) + 2}{-18 - 6i} \\
&= \frac{-81i + 2}{-18 - 6i} \cdot \frac{-18 + 6i}{-18 + 6i} \\
&= \frac{450 + 1470i}{360} \\
&= \frac{15 + 49i}{12} \\
\operatorname{Res}_{-3i} f(z) &= \frac{3(-3i)^3 + 2}{(-3i - 1)(-3i - 3i)} \\
&= \frac{3(27i) + 2}{-18 + 6i} \\
&= \frac{81i + 2}{-18 + 6i} \cdot \frac{-18 - 6i}{-18 - 6i} \\
&= \frac{450 - 1470i}{360} \\
&= \frac{15 - 49i}{12}
\end{aligned}$$

(a) The contour C_a , $|z - 2| = 2$ only contains the pole at $z = 1$, so

$$\int_{C_a} f(z) dz = 2\pi i \operatorname{Res}_1 f(z) = 2\pi i \frac{1}{2} = \pi i$$

(b) The contour C_b , $|z| = 4$ contains all 3 poles.

$$\begin{aligned}
\int_{C_b} f(z) dz &= 2\pi i (\operatorname{Res}_1 f(z) + \operatorname{Res}_{3i} f(z) + \operatorname{Res}_{-3i} f(z)) \\
&= 2\pi i \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{15 + 49i}{12} + \frac{15 - 49i}{12} \right) \\
&= 2\pi i \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{30}{12} \right) \\
&= 2\pi i (3) = 6\pi i
\end{aligned}$$

(4) $\frac{1}{z^3(z+4)}$ has a pole order 3 at $z = 0$ and a simple pole at $z = -4$.

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{d}{dz} \left(\frac{1}{z+4} \right) &= \frac{-1}{(z+4)^2} \\
\frac{d^2}{dz^2} \left(\frac{1}{z+4} \right) &= \frac{2}{(z+4)^3} \\
\operatorname{Res}_0 f(z) &= \frac{1}{2!} \frac{2}{(0+4)^3}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{64} \\ \operatorname{Res}_{-4} f(z) &= \frac{1}{(-4)^3} \\ &= \frac{-1}{64} \end{aligned}$$

(a) The contour C_a , $|z| = 2$ only contains the pole at 0.

$$\int_{C_a} f(z) dz = 2\pi i \operatorname{Res}_0 f(z) = 2\pi i \frac{1}{64} = \frac{\pi i}{32}$$

(b) The contour C_b , $|z + 2| = 3$ contains both poles.

$$\int_{C_a} f(z) dz = 2\pi i (\operatorname{Res}_0 f(z) + \operatorname{Res}_{-4} f(z)) = 2\pi i \left(\frac{1}{64} - \frac{1}{64} \right) = 0$$