

Materials discussed on 27/9

We have discussed the following.

1. (a) Suppose u is harmonic function on $\mathbb{C}$, then whenever $B(p, r)$ is inside the domain of u ,

$$u(p) = \oint_{B(p,r)} u(x) \, dx.$$

Hints: $u = \operatorname{Re}(f)$ for some analytic function f , then use the Cauchy integral formula.

- (b) And hence we have strong maximum principle: If u is harmonic function such that $u(x_0) = \sup_{\Omega} u$ for some interior point x_0 , then u is constant.
2. Show Jensen formula by using the mean value property for harmonic functions.

Hints: By dividing the conformal change of zeros, we may assume $f \neq 0$, hence we may apply mean value theorem on harmonic function $\log |f|$.

3. (a) We show the Schwarz lemma. (see textbook)
- (b) (Borel Caratheodory theorem) Suppose f is analytic on $B(R)$. Then for $r \in (0, R)$, we have the following inequality relating real part of f with f .

$$\sup_{B(r)} |f| \leq \frac{2r}{R-r} \sup_{B(R)} \operatorname{Re}(f) + \frac{R+r}{R-r} |f(0)|.$$

- (c) We give an alternative way to show Lemma 5.5 in Ch5 by the mean of the above theorem.